

# Nazi Drive Uniting Axis Forces in Yugoslavia; British Armored Units Rush to Stem Germans; U.S. Turns Over 10 Coast Guard Ships to Britain

## Van Wagoner Sees Ford, And Reports To President

Governor Optimistic On Ending Strike; Most Coal Operators Agree to Raise Pay

Expected peace in the country's outstanding production-crippling labor stalemate failed of realization yesterday, although Federal and State conciliators doggedly pursued their efforts in a generally hopeful atmosphere.

Peacemakers, with characteristic optimism despite all rebuffs, insisted that progress was being made although it was plain that some points of discord were proving difficult of dissolution.

This was the general picture:

1. Gov. Murray Van Wagoner, of Michigan, reported to President Roosevelt that while mediators had not accomplished their goal yesterday of setting a date for ending the Ford Motor Co. tie-up, he was far from discouraged. He revealed also that he had conferred with Henry Ford himself on the deadlock that has made 200,000 employees idle. Direct company-union negotiations have been suspended but Federal Conciliator James F. Dewey said he could bring the parties into joint conference again at any time. (Details on Page 8.)

2. The soft-coal shutdown, affecting around 400,000 workers, continued although producers of more than two-thirds of the Nation's bituminous output were said to be willing to meet the United Mine Workers' demands. Southern operators continued to resist elimination of the wage differential in their favor, as proposed for the new contract. Dr. John R. Steelman, Federal conciliator, said "some of the mines can be opened at any time production is needed." President Roosevelt has urged a quick settlement. (Details on Page 8.)

3. OPM Director William S. Knudsen endorsed legislation to permit the Government to take over strike-bound plants, and, "as a last resort," to impose compulsory cooling-off periods in labor disputes. Secretary of Labor Perkins, on the other hand—who, like Knudsen, testified before the House Military Affairs Committee—said she would "recommend against" the Government's taking over the plants until "the last possible moment."

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4. Secretary Perkins certified to the National Defense Mediation Board a strike at the J. Sklar Manufacturing Co., Long Island, N. Y., which manufactures surgical instruments. Meanwhile, panels of the board sought settlements here in strikes involving the Seas Shipping Co., of New York, and the Snoqualmie Fall Lumber Co., of Snoqualmie, Wash. (Details on Page 8.)

5. Phillip Murray, president of the C. I. O., held his postponed conference with President Roosevelt on the general labor-defense situation but neither he nor the White House revealed the nature of the discussion.

## Up to America

### Churchill Appeals for Convoys Lest Aid Go to Bottom of Sea

Prime Minister Says Escorts and More Escorts Are Needed in Battle of Atlantic

(Churchill Text, Page 32.)

By Robert P. Post  
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London, April 9.—Prime Minister Churchill looked up from the floor of the House of Commons straight at John G. Winant, the American Ambassador, and W. Averell Harriman, American "expediter" of defense materials to Britain, when he concluded his review of the war today with a thinly veiled appeal to the United States to provide convoys for war materials to Britain.

He had nodded to the two United States envoys, who sat in the balcony, before he started; before he finished he had said that only escorts and more escorts could solve the problem of the Battle of the Atlantic.

"To defeat U-boats and surface raiders has been proved entirely

a question of adequate escorts for our convoys," said the Prime Minister, himself one of the greatest naval critics alive today. "It will indeed be disastrous if the great masses of weapons, munitions and instruments of war of all kinds made with the toil and skill of American hands at the cost of the United States and loaned to us under the aid-to-Britain bill were to sink into the depths of the ocean and never reach the hard-pressed fighting line."

"It would be lamentable to us and I cannot believe it would be resolute people of the United States to see the aid-to-Britain bill

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## Knudsen Favors U. S. Strike Action

Indorses Federal Control of Plants Hit by Tieups

By John B. Oakes  
Post Staff Writer

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## Sen. Sheppard's Body to Lie In State Today

Dean of Congress Dies in Walter Reed Of Brain Hemorrhage

Question of Succession

SUCCESSION of Senator Reynolds to chairmanship of Military Affairs Committee will bring District a new "mayor." Page 16.

REPRESENTATIVE DIES. Gov. O'Daniel seen as rival for Sheppard's Senate seat, which may be offered to former Vice President Garner. Story on Page 16.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT and Nation's leaders join in mourning death of Texas legislator. Story on Page 16.

Last Respects

Into the chamber of the United States Senate where he had served continuously for 28 years, the body of Morris Sheppard, of Texas, will be brought to lie in state at 3 p. m. today.

Sheppard "father of prohibition," dean of Congress and chairman of the vital Military Affairs Committee, died of a brain hemorrhage at 5 a. m. yesterday in Walter Reed Hospital.

The body will lie in the Senate chamber for three hours—just a few feet from the Senator's desk on the center aisle—while statesmen of the Nation pass in homage.

Arrangements are to be made for a detachment of Fort Myer cavalry to escort the body to the Senate from Hyson's Funeral Home, 1300 N Street Northwest. The same military guard will accompany the body from Capitol Hill at 6 p. m.

The body will leave Union Station at 8:20 p. m. for Texarkana, Tex. Senator Sheppard's home, where the funeral will be held at 3 p. m. Saturday.

Word was received here that Speaker Rayburn (Democrat), of Texas, from his home in Bonham had appointed the entire Texas Congressional delegation as representatives.

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## Friends Congratulate Dentist

### Jury Acquits Dr. Mark Davis In Traffic Death of Fireman

Dr. Mark O. Davis 60, Washington dentist, last night was acquitted of a manslaughter charge in the traffic death of John G. Adair, Jr., 27-year-old Chevy Chase (Md.) fireman. The Circuit Court jury at Rockville, Md., brought in its verdict at 9:20 p. m. after deliberating 25 minutes.

Warned by Judge Charles Woodward against a demonstration, courtroom spectators received the verdict quietly. Friends of Dr. Davis, however, rushed to congratulate him.

Dr. Davis, who has treated some of Washington's most prominent citizens, took the stand late in the day

in his own defense. Facing the jury and speaking firmly, he told of the events preceding the fatal accident when his car struck Adair, who was helping to battle a fire in the Bethesda-Chevy Chase High School on East-West Highway near the intersection of Montgomery Avenue.

Dr. Davis said he spent the evening of February 28 at the Columbia Country Club, watching a card game among four of his friends. In reply to the prosecution's charges that he was under the influence of intoxicants, he admitted having one "scotch and soda" at midnight, but said he was perfectly sober when he left the club. The crash occurred

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## Cutters, Once Rum Chasers, To Join Battle Of Atlantic

By Edward T. Folliard  
Post Staff Writer

Ten United States Coast Guard cutters have been turned over to Great Britain under the Lease-Lend Act to take part in the Battle of the Atlantic, it was announced yesterday at the White House.

The cutters, which are 250 feet long and have a speed of 16 knots, have been used for ice patrol duty, chasing Japanese fishermen out of the Bering Sea and on Atlantic neutrality patrol.

In the days of prohibition and rum runners, they had another duty. This fact was mentioned yesterday by Prime Minister Winston Churchill in acknowledging America's action in turning over the cutters. It was the one light note in an otherwise somber speech in the House of Commons.

Discussing the Coast Guard cutters, Churchill said: "These vessels, originally designed to enforce prohibition, will now serve an even higher purpose."

Admiral Land Outspoken

Welcome as the 9-year-old cutters were to the hard-pressed British, Churchill made it clear that Britain in the near future expected a great deal more help against Germany's U-boats and bombers. His remarks came within a few hours after the outspoken radio talk of Rear Admiral Emory S. Land, chairman of the United States Maritime Commission, who put it squarely up to the American people whether they wanted to help "put out the fire" of the Nazi submarine menace, or just continuing feeding the fire with more fuel.

In connection with the attitude of the American people toward the war, the magazine Our Army contains an editorial in the April issue which notes the "state of apathy" in this country.

The editorial says in part: "The situation is not pleasant to contemplate, and the task of winning this war for Britain that the American people have voluntarily shouldered is no small one."

Can Carry Heavier Guns

"Yet as the crisis approaches, we here in the United States seem to be in a state of apathy. Although we have just enacted legislation that puts us squarely into the war and pledges us to underwrite a British victory, few Americans seem to realize it."

"Travelling around the country and talking to Tom, Dick and Harry, one gets the impression that the people are numb. There is little evidence of war consciousness."

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## Italy Demands Recall at Once Of U. S. Military Aide in Rome

Break in Relations Between Mexico, Axis Predicted as 'Probable'

By the Associated Press  
Mexico City, April 9.—A break in diplomatic relations between Mexico and the Axis powers was predicted as "probable" by official sources tonight as a result of Mexico's expropriation of 12 German and Italian ships.

As the Mexican merchant marine colors were hoisted on the vessels in place of the struck Axis ensigns, President Manuel Avila Camacho's decree of expropriation was hailed as a definite move with full realization that a rupture of relations probably would follow.

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## Invasion of Britain Forecast Monday

Vichy, April 9 (U.P.)—Japanese sources here claimed tonight that Adolf Hitler has fixed the date for an invasion of the British Isles—Easter Monday, April 14.

These same quarters predicted that Hitler will complete his Balkan victory within two weeks.

## Heavy Raid on Berlin

Berlin (Thursday), April 10 (P.P.)—The Berlin State Opera and the historic Prussian State Library are burning this morning as the result of incendiary bombs dropped by British raiders in an air attack on Berlin during the night. It was announced officially today.

The raiders scattered their bombs over the capital, hitting two hospitals as well as apartment houses. It was added, killing and wounding a number of persons.

Eleven planes were reported shot down on their approach to the capital by German night fighters and antiaircraft batteries.

The announcement said no military damage was done by the raiders.

## Massaua Falls, War Near End In East Africa

2,000 British Troops, 6 Generals Captured In Libya, Nazis Say

By the Associated Press  
Cairo, April 9.—Britain announced the virtual windup of the East African campaign today with the capture of the Red Sea port of Massaua, in Italian Eritrea, but acknowledged that the rear guard of the imperial forces in Libya was "heavily engaged all day" yesterday against eastward-moving Axis armored units.

(The German command said six British generals and 2,000 men had been taken prisoners at El Mechili, 50 miles southwest of Derna.)

The British announcements said numerically superior German and Italian forces were engaging the imperial troops, although asserting that the R. A. F. was maintaining a continuous attack on Nazi-Fascist air fields in Libya, motor transports and concentrations of men.

Reporting to the House of Commons in London, Prime Minister Winston Churchill disclosed that the Germans had begun shipping large air and armored forces to Libya even before the British capture of Bengasi last February 6.

Churchill said, "our submarines and aircraft have taken a steady toll of the transports carrying the

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## Tit for Tat

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## Tommies Speed North to New Defense Lines From Piraeus

By the Associated Press

Bern, Switzerland (Thursday), April 10.—Battalions of British flame throwers, tanks and armored corps were said in dispatches reaching here to be rushing northward from Piraeus, port of Athens, to a new defense line stretching from the Adriatic Sea across Albania and Greece to the Gulf of Salonika.

Reports from the belligerent countries told of plans for a line of defense from Chumara, on Albania's Adriatic coast, to the vicinity of Kitros, on the Gulf of Salonika.

With the Italian and German armies expected to join hands today near the Albanian frontier, Yugoslavia's army was reported attempting desperately to drive a wedge down central Albania and open up a new contact with the Greeks near Lake Ohrida.

British troops were said to be already installed in the new line. (Reports from both the Greeks and the Germans have not mentioned German contact with British units; in fact the Germans have specifically said no British have appeared against them thus far.)

German parachute troops were reported still landing in front of retreating Greek troops but the Germans said to have been killed rapidly or rounded up by "parachute patrols."

Reports from Greece said British troop supply ships from Africa

## James Roosevelt May Visit Yugoslavia

The President's eldest son, Capt. James Roosevelt, has made tentative arrangements to go to Yugoslavia as an observer for the United States Marine Corps. It was reported here yesterday.

The War Department announced last night that Maj. Gen. Henry H. Arnold, chief of the Air Corps and a deputy chief of staff, would go to London as an observer, leaving New York by clipper plane today.

During his absence Maj. Gen. George H. Brett will be acting deputy chief of staff and acting chief of the Air Corps.

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## Trapped Greeks Hold East Line

By J. Wes Gallagher  
Associated Press Staff Writer

Athens (Thursday), April 10.—Greek high command announced today that Greek troops cut off in eastern Macedonia by the German capture of Salonika were still holding out late yesterday afternoon.

These troops, estimated at 300,000 before the Nazi offensive began, "did not weaken their resistance on the frontier and held their lines intact, to information received during the afternoon."

(Earlier, the German high command announced that the Greeks were moving steadily into southern Greece ports and it was expected the virtual close of the campaign in Eritrea and Ethiopia would release large numbers of British Empire troops for service in Greece.)

## First in 18 Years

### Goal 7-Ocean Navy, Says Knox, Commissioning New Battleship

(Pictures On Page 3.)

By Inez Robb

New York, April 9.—Unchallenged American naval supremacy on the seven seas is the goal of this Nation's vast new building program. Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox declared today during commissioning ceremonies which formally added the Nation's new super-dreadnaught North Carolina to Uncle Sam's fleet.

Not a two-ocean but a seven-ocean Navy was envisioned by the Secretary as he spoke in the shadow of the mammoth 16-inch guns that make the North Carolina the most powerful sea-going fortress afloat.

"The North Carolina is but one of a new line of ships giving the United States unchallenged supremacy of the high seas," Knox declared on the quarter deck of the new fighting ship, moored in her fitting out basin at the Brooklyn Navy Yard.

While emphasizing America's "dedication to peace and the absence of aggressive designs on anyone on earth," the Secretary went on to prophesy an American Navy strong enough "to be the determining influence on every sea in the world."

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## The War Today . . .

BRITISH tanks and flame-throwers reportedly move north from Piraeus, Athens port, to prepare new defense line from Aegean to Adriatic Sea; Greeks cut off in eastern Macedonia by fall of Salonika are still holding out. Page 1.

GERMANS push toward Albania frontier. Page 1.

YUGOSLAV troops drive across Drin River into the interior of Italian Albania; another force turns on Nazis north of Skopje. Page 4.

LEADERS of Yugoslavia, now in Athens, accuse German pilots of machine-gunning women and children as they fled from homes set ablaze by bombs. Page 1.

ITALY DECLARES Fascist fliers and soldiers are continuing to lend support in Balkans. Page 3.

CHURCHILL says Britain faces disaster unless Atlantic sea lanes are kept open for supplies from the United States. Page 1.

BRITAIN virtually completes conquest of eastern Africa with capture of Massaua, port on the Red Sea. Page 1.

## Raid Victims Litter Streets Of Belgrade

Attack Unexpected; Many Going to Church Machine-Gunned

By the Associated Press

Belgrade, April 9.—An announcement by the Yugoslav government here today said that Belgrade, enormously damaged by German air raids, was at the mercy of German troops, having been evacuated by all "military elements" since the first day of the war.

Despite this evacuation, it was added, the capital had been bombed heavily and continually and turned "into a mass of debris."

"The streets of Belgrade are littered with the bodies of the dead—women, children and old men," said the government's statement, which was issued through the Athens legation.

Thirty bombs were dropped on the royal court of the boy King Peter II. It was declared, and "horrible scenes," in which German planes were declared to have machine-gunned women and children leaving their blazing homes, were reported in the statement.

"Never in the long history of this martyr city," it added, "have such scenes been witnessed."

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## The Broom, Molly, There's a Cobweb At the White House

Lancaster, Pa., April 9 (U.P.)—Sixteen young Democracy Day Contest winners, just returned from Washington, all insisted tonight that Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt is charming.

But, the girls say, they saw—of all things—cobwebs on the crystal chandelier in the Blue Room of the White House.

"Mrs. Roosevelt was charming," one of the girls said, "but we couldn't get over the cobwebs."

They all noticed them during a 20 minute wait before they were greeted by Mrs. Roosevelt.

## Reich Claims Serbs Cut Off From Contact With Allies

By C. Brooks Peters.  
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Berlin, April 9.—The cautious reserve in which the German high command shrouds the movements of its legions in the initial stages of important campaigns was broken late this afternoon with a series of special announcements of what appeared to be vital significance for the future course of the Balkan campaign.

These revealed:

1. That German units advancing across southern Serbia from Bulgaria had taken Vele and Tetovo and thereby completely cut the

Yugoslavians off from all land communication with Greece and their British allies there, and that the German units are rapidly approaching both the Albanian frontier, where their Italian ally awaits them, and northwestern Greece through south Serbia.

(An Associated Press dispatch from Rome received at 1:10 a. m. Thursday declared German and Italian armies were "on the point of joining" to continue the fight against Greek and British forces on the Balkan front.)

2. That strong German tank and armored car units advancing southward from Yugoslavia had captured Salonika, thus trapping all Greek forces east of the Vardar River to the Turkish border. The Greek army fighting east of the Vardar, the German high command added, realizing the hopelessness of its situation, this morning offered to capitulate and lay down its arms.

3. That following the break through the Metaxas Line, German forces operating out of Bulgaria had taken Xanti, reached the Aegean Sea and were continuing their advance.

4. That German motorized and tank units in the group under Gen. Paul von Kleist took Nish at 11 o'clock this morning.

5. That German forces advancing from the Austrian border had occupied Maribor and established a bridgehead on the south bank of the Drava River.

Thus all enemy fortifications appear to have been pierced at vital points in both Yugoslavia and Greece, and the blitzkrieg tactics which have characterized past German campaigns in this war seem to be in application.

Particularly astounding is the rapidity with which the German

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## Axis Forces Form Junction In Yugoslavia

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forces fought their way through the Metaxas Line—the line of modern fortifications of the Maginot type which was built into the mountains on the Bulgarian-Greek border after years of labor. In this action, which, like those in South Serbia, is under the command of 61-year-old Gen. Field Marshal Sigmund Wilhelm List, German Alpine and infantry divisions were assisted by dive-bombers and antiaircraft artillery in what is officially termed here as "bitter" fighting.

Most important, however, seems to be the capture of Salonika. Therewith it would appear that the Greek forces had been obliged to retreat to a new line which might possibly run from Katerine to Ostrovo, which would be some 30 miles west and southwest from the Vardar. The British forces, moreover, must also be somewhere in the latter sector.

### Battle With British Imminent

German contact with the arch foe, Britain, in the immediate future therefore appears to be a logical proposition. And of the theaters of war which have developed as a result of the successful push across South Serbia, there can be no doubt but that the Greek state, with the afforded of meeting the British again, is the one upon which German interest centers.

With the capture of Salonika, moreover, informed quarters continue, the landing of materiel and troops to reinforce the Greek and whatever British forces are in Greece can now be effected only through southern Greek ports.

The push of the German forces from the Vardar Valley in a south-westerly direction to Priepolje, it is said, in informed quarters here, forces the left wing of the Greek army fighting against Germany to retreat and threatens at the same time the right wing of the Greek forces operating in Albania. The German push, it is added, will threaten the line of communications of these Greek forces in Albania.

Although there are still too few geographical positions known by name to have been taken by the German armies to speculate upon the future course of the advance, it is hinted specifically that the time is about ripe for the familiar "pincer" movements of the German army to come into play—chiefly, it would appear at present, however, in the Yugoslav sector.

### Believe Serb Morale Affected

So far as the operations in Yugoslavia are concerned, there appear reasons to suspect that both the strength and morale of the Yugoslav forces have been seriously affected by the rapidity of the German advance in South Serbia and the resulting attacks of the German air force. In South Serbia, for example, the German high command declared today that 20,000 prisoners, including six generals and large quantities of all kinds of war materiel had been captured.

As in previous campaigns, the German fliers first played havoc with the ground forces, then the enemy's air force, bombing hangars, barracks and landing fields and destroying major portions of the enemy's limited supply of serviceable planes, both on the ground and in the air.

Particularly effective, in the German view, have been the successive attacks of German bombers on the "Fortress Belgrade." Belgrade, it is added here, is the military headquarters of Yugoslavia, as well as the most important traffic and food center of the land.

### Claims Serb Fate Sealed

The push through the Vardar Valley with the increase of the width of the German lines to the north and west, furthermore, as well as the taking of Nish, German quarters continue, seals the fate of the Serbian army, which no longer has the possibility of retreat to the Adriatic and Greece.

The Germans emphasize that in the initial stages of the campaign, particularly difficult terrain had to be traversed, not only in Yugoslavia but also in Greece. And although nothing is said of the fighting prowess of the Yugoslavs, the Germans continue "unreservedly" to stress the resistance offered by and the bravery of their Greek foe.

It is said in Berlin in connection with the rapid German advance in Greece, moreover, that developments in the latter country have been influenced by the fact that the Italians are engaging strong Greek forces on another front.

## McNemar Tells Of Navy's Insular Administrations

An American governmental system outside the jurisdiction of Congress—the naval administration of this country's insular possessions—was described last night by Commander Leslie C. McNemar, Judge Advocate General's Office, United States Naval Reserve, at a joint meeting of the committees on military and naval law of the American and Federal Bar Associations.

The civil government of Samoa, Guam and the Midway Islands is headed by a naval officer who also acts as commander of the naval bases. The island administrations, the officer pointed out, are authorized directly by the executive branch he said at the Mayflower Hotel.

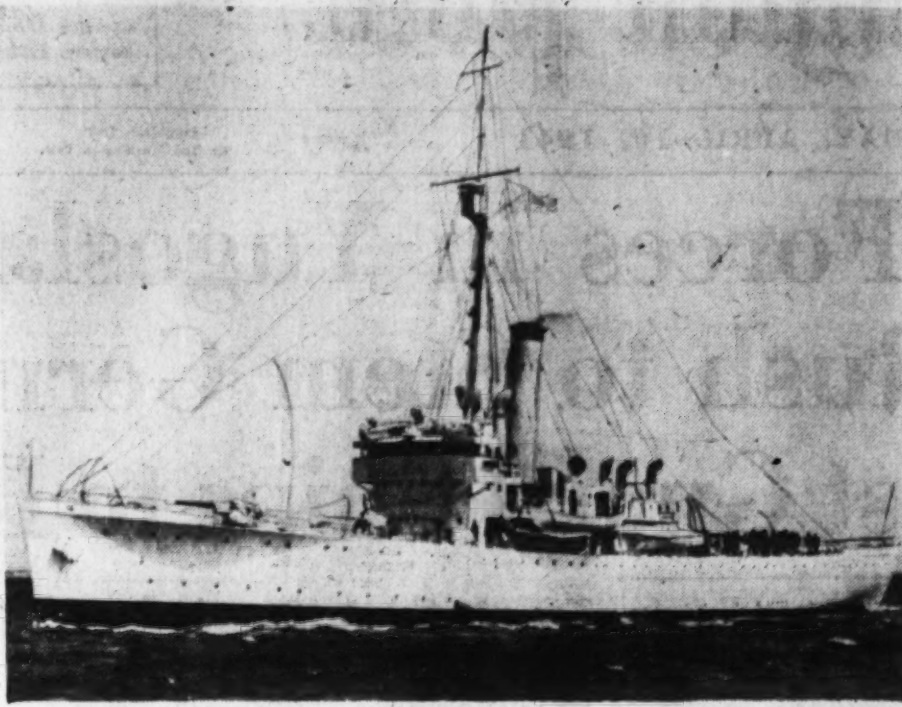
The naval administrators of the islands are following a policy of saving the island land for the natives, he said. Purchase of land by foreign individuals and corporations is discouraged, McNemar said.

### SPECIAL NOTICES

ROBERT B. BOYD, SENIOR LABORATORY, Room 901, Western Bldg., 606 14th St. N.W. ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS, Washington, D.C., Building Association will be held at the office, 629 P St. N.W., May 7, 1941, at 3 p.m. for election of officers and directors. Poles open from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. HENRY H. BERGMANN, Secretary.

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## Britain Gets U. S. Coast Guard Cutters



TO REPLENISH BRITAIN'S CONVOY FORCES—Ten fast and well-armed Coast Guard cutters were released yesterday to Great Britain under the lend-lease act. The vessels were originally designed for use against rum-runners during prohibition days. They will replenish Britain's forces used for maintaining her transatlantic supply lines.

## Churchill Warns Russia of Nazi Peril

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Hard on the heels of that statement, Churchill announced that the United States had turned over ten Coast Guard vessels to the British. Churchill said they were of about 2,000 tons, fast and well armed. The Prime Minister remarked that they were all designed to enforce prohibition and will now serve an "even higher purpose."

Churchill's speech was a review of the war in which told of the fall of Salonika to the Germans and of the retreat of British forces in Cyrenaica to Tobruk and beyond. He spoke enthusiastically of the Egyptian and Ethiopian successes and the navy's victories in the Mediterranean, and announced the fall of Massaua; he reviewed more in sorrow than in anger the failure of the Balkans to make common cause against the Axis. He touched on France and strongly affirmed Britain's decision to keep the blockade intact.

Tone Is Grim  
Churchill's tone was grim. "A fortnight ago," he said, "I warned the public that an unbroken continuance of success could not be hoped for, that reverses as well as victories could be expected; that we must be ready, as indeed we are always ready, to take the rough with the smooth."

The Prime Minister's remarks about the campaign is summed up in the following paragraphs, although not in the order in which he gave them:  
British losses in shipping tonnage are very heavy. The British have lost nearly 4,000,000 tons so far. Against that they have acquired nearly 3,000,000 tons, foreign or newly-constructed, and therefore at the moment "our enormous" merchant fleet sails the seas without any serious diminution. But losses can not continue at the present rate.

Where are the British to find an extra three or four million tons to fill the gap which is being created to carry them through 1942? The British are build merchant ships and doing their utmost to repair ships damaged by enemy action and the greater number damaged by winter gales. They are trying to speed up the "turn around" of ships in British ports, remembering that even ten days of turn around saving on the immense British fleet—this, Churchill said, was an important figure—equals the reinforcement of 5,000,000 tons in imports for a single year.

But all this improvement considered, the only way the British can get through 1942 without a sensible contraction of their war effort is by "another gigantic building of merchant ships in the United States similar to that prodigy of output accomplished by the Americans in 1918."

The effort is being prepared the United States and the British may count on its staying power, "with out which it will not be possible to save the world from criminals who assail it in the future."

Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau, whose department takes in the Coast Guard, apparently had no hesitancy about yielding the ten cutters to Britain. Officials said that the transfer would not greatly inconvenience the Coast Guard. They said that the service will have about 76 cutters left, and they pointed out that long-range seaplanes now are able to perform much of the work done by cutters.

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## Italians Now Talk of Drive On Suez Canal

By the Associated Press  
Rome, April 9.—Italian Yugoslav border skirmishes and Fascist air raiding appeared tonight to be Italy's contribution to an Axis-Balkan offensive supposed to be aimed ultimately at clearing the British from Germany's path to the Suez Canal and the Near East oil fields.

The high command said many prisoners were taken in Italian occupation of Kranj, in the extreme northwest tip of Yugoslavia at the junction of the Yugoslav, Italian and German frontiers, the Fascists' most outstanding triumph.

It became clearer that Yugoslavia and Greece were only stepping stones to the major goal, Suez, which the paper Il Popolo di Roma called one of Britain's vital centers. (Such a drive, if overland, could only go through Britain's nonbelligerent ally, Turkey.)

Il Popolo di Roma, in a dispatch from Berlin, called the new Balkan war area a "dynamic, offensive theater intended to strike British power directly in one of its vital centers, the strategic Mediterranean-African-Asian sector which culminates at Suez and in which lie the keys of that power's communications."

This was contrasted with the static Balkan front in the first World War. Heightened Italian morale was reported by some observers as a result of German-Italian successes against the British in Libya, where Italian-led positions were regained, and Germany's swift advances in the Balkans.

## Quisling Says Germans Will Stay in Norway

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Stockholm, April 9.—An admission that German troops "will not withdraw" from Norway was obtained in an exclusive telephone interview that Maj. Vidkun Quisling, former chief of the Norwegian fifth column and now "Fuehrer" of Norway, gave to the New York Times on the eve of today's first anniversary of the invasion of Norway.

Maj. Quisling is certainly the easiest dictator in the world to reach, at least by telephone. A simple request to a Swedish telephone operator for "Vidkun Quisling at the headquarters of the Nasjonal Samling in Oslo," with the explanation that a correspondent wished an interview, proved to be sufficient.

Best he cut off the interview, the more obvious questions were put first, gradually working up to the more interesting ones.

"Your Hirden (storm troop organization) is widely accused of violence and brutality," he was asked.

"That is a lie made up by our enemies. The Hirden is an idealistic and disciplined body, although there are exceptions."

Question on Haakon Angers Him

"Isn't the majority of the country against you?"

"It is only some cliques of the old politicians."

"You mean that if these cliques were eliminated, the population would support you?"

"We can exist without the support of the population."

"Isn't an immense majority of the population loyal to King Haakon?"

"I don't know what majority is for him," Maj. Quisling replied, his voice full of anger, "but he will never return to Norway. Never."

"But he still occupies the throne of Norway?"

"No, he is dethroned in fact and legally, because he has remained outside of the country more than six months, which is contrary to the constitution."

It is well known that Quisling's view on this point is not shared by the King on the ground, first, that he is with his armies, where he is supposed to be, whether they are in or outside of the country, and, second, that a year ago he received full powers from the Norwegian Parliament, which foresees the possibility of fighting Germany outside of Norway.

U. S. "Meddling"

"What would be the position of your movement if the Germans withdrew the support of their bayonets, if they evacuated the country," was the next question. "Do you think it would survive?"

"I think yes," he replied, "but your question is academic, because the Germans will not withdraw."

"What do you think about President Roosevelt and American politics?"

"I can't answer that," he replied. When the questioner persisted, he declared:

"I wish the United States would not meddle in others' business."

Except when discussing King Haakon, he spoke in an even and not very expressive voice. Even the final question did not ruffle him. It was:

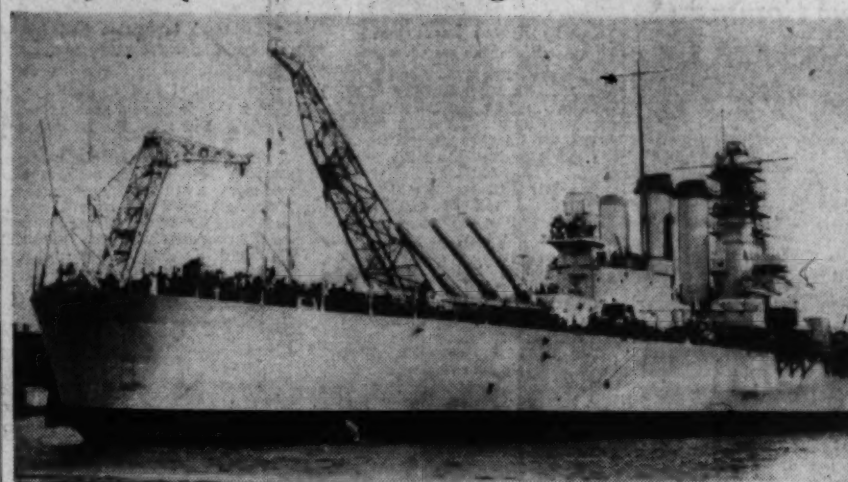
"What will happen to you if Germany loses the war?"

"Your question is irrelevant," he said. "Germany can't lose. There will not even be a compromise peace, just a downright German victory."

"Even if the United States comes in?"

"Yes, even then."

## Navy's Newest Dreadnaught Commissioned



Associated Press Wirephoto.  
**FLAG NOW FLIES ON U. S. S. NORTH CAROLINA**—Uncle Sam yesterday unleashed another "war dog" for his growing two-ocean navy. The battleship North Carolina (above), of 35,000 tons displacement, was commissioned at New York. Here, the officers and men salute at the flag-raising ceremony.

## U. S. Commissions New Battleship

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Knox was the principal speaker in the colorful ceremonies. The new \$70,000,000 battle-wagon of 35,000 tons gleamed brightly under a warm spring sun. Her formidable anti-aircraft guns pointed idly toward a friendly sky as the Secretary addressed her officers and crew of 1,500 men and invited guests totaling another 1,100 persons at the induction of the first battleship added to the American fleet in 18 years.

They heard Knox warn America's civilian population that it must be prepared to make sacrifices for the national safety, and listened to a telegram in which President Roosevelt expressed his conviction that the North Carolina would "help protect this country faithfully."

Commissioned five months ahead of schedule, the North Carolina was handed over by the commandant of the navy yard, Capt. H. V. McKittick, to its first commander, Capt. Olaf M. Hustvedt.

There was only admiration for her sleek, deadly bulk and her towering, powerful super-structure as Admiral Harold R. Stark, chief of naval operations, came aboard, to be followed by Rear Admiral E. J. King, commander of the Atlantic Squadron; Lieut. Gen. Hugh A. Drum, commander of the First Army; Mayor LaGuardia, and Gov. J. Melville Broughton of North Carolina.

Not a person on board the North Carolina had gotten there except after careful scrutiny by guards at the entrance to the navy yard.

Even as the solemn commissioning services proceeded, they resounded against the background of a navy yard in which more than 20,000 men are working at top speed to rearm this Nation on the seas. This symphony of hammers, cranes and electric drills was music to an audience which loudly applauded Knox's declaration that "this ship is but a token of the great fleet to follow which will give the United States unchallenged supremacy on the high seas."

Knox pointed out that we had made many sacrifices in the cause of world disarmament and that we

"had pursued that policy until all hope of achieving peace in that way had to be abandoned because of other nations."

"The commissioning of this magnificent ship is recognition on our part that the world cannot yet depend wholly upon ideals for its protection," he said.

"This great fleet now building is not dedicated to war, but is the best possible guarantee of peace and security in the world today. Peace and security can only be obtained for many years to come by sea power so great that no one will want to challenge it!"

FAVORITE RECIPES OF FAMOUS PEOPLE

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Topsy-Turvy Meat Pie

1 cup chopped onion

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2 tablespoons shortening

1 pound ground beef

1 cup milk

1 teaspoon salt

2 cups biscuit mix

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## Many Killed In Nazi Raid On Midlands

By the Associated Press  
London, (Thursday) April 10. German raiders struck heavily at a West Midlands town last night and reports reaching here early today indicated civilian casualties might be numerous.

Rescue workers toiled amid a deluge of bombs. Raiding relays pounded the town for several hours. It was the second straight night of attack on the West Midlands.

Other raiders hit at the east Anglian coastal area, northeast, northwest and western England. London also had an alarm but no bombings were reported.

Two German bombers were destroyed in the blitz attack on the West Midlands town, making 14 Nazi aircraft reported shot down in the last 24 hours.

Both pilots were killed. The remainder of the crews was captured. One plane fell on a house, causing casualties.

A direct hit was scored on a shelter in which a large number of people were believed taking refuge from the raid.

British night fighters were on patrol as the "battle of the moonlight," in which the R. A. F. has had increased success, was waged over a wide area of England.

The British as well had been active offensively, striking all during the day at the German-held Channel coast in a series of machine-gun attacks upon motor trucks, barges and Nazi shipping.

This offensive sweep was in continuation of heavy raids Tuesday night on the German naval base at Kiel—a second successive nightly raid which was said to have shattered dockyard structures and to have fired row upon row of other buildings and warehouses.

The hours-long Kiel raid, described as "even more impressive" than that of the preceding night, was coupled with other attacks by powerful R. A. F. formations on Bremen, Emden and Rotterdam.

At the same time the Luftwaffe pounded Coventry, in Britain's industrial Midlands, with the heaviest onslaught since the devastating fire and bomb raid of last November 14. Many casualties were inflicted at Coventry and buildings erected since the last big attack were leveled.

The air ministry said that Kiel, where many of Adolf Hitler's submarines are turned out, was caught by the R. A. F. "even before it could recover from the shock" of the preceding night. It was the thirty-seventh raid of the war on this important Nazi base.

## Nazi Push Fails To Rock British Confidence

By the Associated Press  
London, April 9.—The German occupation of Salonika and Berlin reports that other Nazi forces have moved more than half way across Yugoslavia failed today to shake the tone of British confidence set by Prime Minister Churchill himself, military observers said.

These observers said that if any grave importance had attached to the defense of Salonika the British army would have defended it, as there was ample opportunity to install there Australian and New Zealand veterans of the winter Lioyan campaign.

Authoritative sources said there were no British troops in the Thracian and Macedonia areas east of Salonika where, the German high command said today, the east wing of the Greek army had surrendered.

Churchill himself said in Commons today that the British imperial forces had not yet engaged the Germans driving into Greece and Yugoslavia from Bulgaria.

Military circles, indeed, received with equanimity the news that the Greeks in the east had capitulated, and remarked that, as previously indicated, these were merely screening units and garrisons for such fortresses as those in the Rupel Pass. Any attempt to compare their fate with that of the British expeditionary force at Dunkerque was improper, these observers said.

The main units of the Allied forces are believed to be disposed in a great arch curving from occupied Albania to the Gulf of Salonika, and nowhere are these forces cut off from supplies.

Italian Newsman Quits D. C. Post

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Count Leone Fumasoni-Biondi today announced his resignation "for personal reasons," as Washington correspondent of the Italian News agency, Stefani. He also announced his resignation from the White House Correspondents Association and from the Congressional Press Galleries.

Count Fumasoni-Biondi, who has been with Stefani in Washington since January, 1932, is a nephew of Cardinal Fumasoni-Biondi, who was formerly in Washington as Apostolic delegate. The newspaperman said that he would take a long vacation, but after that would make his home in Washington for an indefinite period.

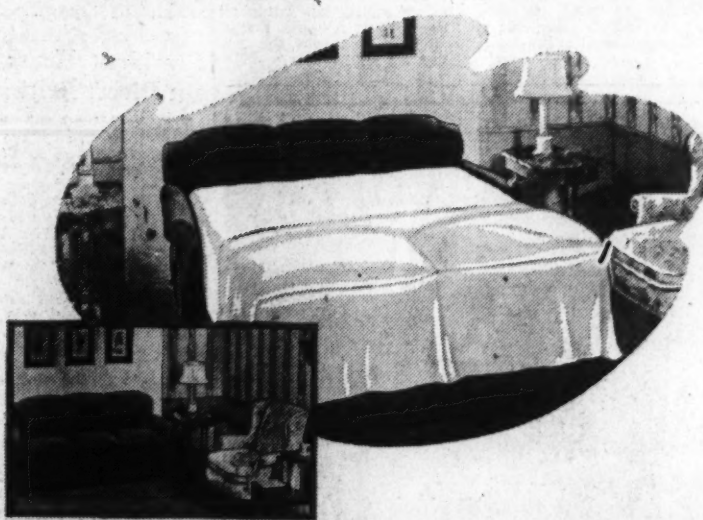
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## Italy Demands U. S. Recall Assistant Military Attache

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country "without delay," the Italian Embassy informed Hull. Meanwhile in Rome Fascist soldiers continued to guard the United States Embassy, according to the Associated Press, while rumors circulated that Premier Mussolini might recall his ambassador to Washington, Prince Colonna, because of the seizure of Italian ships.

Recall of the Italian Ambassador would put American-Italian relations on the same footing as those between Germany and the United States, each government maintaining an embassy staff and consular service but no ambassador in the other nation.

Officials here said the possibility of recall of the Italian and American Ambassadors from Washington and Rome "has been foreseen" but that no immediate developments are anticipated.

The Italian demand for expulsion of Capt. Bentley comes after weeks of tension in American-Italian relations. Italy on February 12 ordered the United States to close its con-

sulates at Naples and Palermo and later imposed severe restriction on any movements of the American Embassy staff outside Rome. The United States retaliated March 6 by calling on Italy to close its consulates in Newark and Detroit, notify the State Department of all movements outside Washington by military and naval attaches of the embassy and restrict the movements of consular personnel to the areas in which they are accredited.

### No Charges Disclosed

No information as to possible Italian charges against Capt. Bentley was available at the State or War Departments yesterday, while the Italian Embassy declined to disclose its government's complaints, if any, against the conduct of the American attaché.

"It is not a matter we can discuss with the press," said Alberto Nonsi, counselor of the Italian Embassy.

Nonsi said he did not know how soon or by what route Lais would leave the United States, and the naval attaché could not be reached at his home or the embassy.

State Department officials gave no indication of immediate compliance with the Italian demand for removal of Capt. Bentley, but diplomatic usage dictates prompt withdrawal of any envoy or embassy aide regarded as "persona non grata" by the government to which he is accredited.

Bentley, who was commissioned in 1929, served at Langley Field and in Hawaii before taking up his Rome assignment a year ago. His wife and two young children accompanied him to Italy. Officials indicated he will be given another post abroad.

## Il Duce Demands Attache's Recall



MAJ. WILLIAM C. BENTLEY, assistant military attaché of the U. S. Embassy in Rome, whose recall was demanded yesterday by the Italian government in apparent reprisal for the action of the United States last week in forcing the withdrawal of the Italian naval attaché here.

## Mexico-Axis Break Predicted

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nity for each ship," and said the amounts would be paid with interest at the end of the war.

The German and Italian ministers, who received official announcements of the seizures, made no comment. Their secretaries said they were "terribly busy."

### Mexico Denounces Invasion of Balkans

The Mexican Ambassador, Francisco Castillo Najera, yesterday made public a statement by the Mexican department of foreign affairs expressing sympathy for invaded Greece and Yugoslavia and denouncing the Nazi assault on those countries. The statement said:

"Once more German armies have invaded by force a neutral country. To the series of violations which was initiated by the occupation of Norway and Denmark and was followed by the aggression upon Holland, Belgium and Luxembourg, there is now added the invasion of Yugoslavia. Simultaneously the Reich has attacked Greece which is struggling for the defense of her sovereignty."

"For those who continue to believe that neutrality is a guaranty of peace and salvation, the case of these two small nations—small in territory but great for their sense of dignity and love of liberty—must serve as an example and stimulus."

"Mexico, a republic of free men, cannot contemplate without emotion the subject of the independence of nations that are subject to the whim of countries that are militarily more powerful. Neither can Mexico contemplate without emotion that after facing failure in their machinations of diplomatic imposition, the automatic reaction of imperialistic powers be that of 'punishment'."

"Mexico has no diplomatic relations with Greece or with Yugoslavia. But it is not necessary that there should be official ties between two peoples for one of them to be moved and stirred up when seeing the other dragged into a conflagration for the development of which it was not responsible."

"Fortunately darkness is not eternal, and Greece as well as Yugoslavia have evidenced innumerable times the magnificent heroism of their sons."

## Yugoslavs Push Drive Into Albania

By Ben Ames.

United Press Staff Writer

Athens, April 9.—Yugoslav forces were reported officially tonight to have stormed across the Drin River into the interior of Italian Albania. The Yugoslavs, recovering from the first staggering blows of the Nazi "Panzer" drive across the waistline of Yugoslavia, not only struck into Albania but counter-attacked the Germans north of Skopje, Yugoslav official military advisers said tonight.

Serbian divisions, taking advantage of the rugged terrain, were said to be battling the Germans in the Katsanik passes along the Yugoslav railway, where 20 miles north of Skopje which has been seized by the Germans.

The Katsanik passes are about 34 miles from the Albanian border and 90 miles north of the Greek-Yugoslav frontier.

The Yugoslavs in southern Serbia, regrouping their forces, were said to be counterattacking at several points.

A Yugoslav high command communiqué, released by the Yugoslav Legation here today, said that Yugoslav forces, striving to aid their Greek allies, who are still pushing into Albania from the south, were driving steadily into Albania from the north.

The Greeks and Yugoslavs are attempting to join forces in Albania and deliver a knockout blow to the Italian Army there before Adolf Hitler's "Panzer" forces can come to the rescue of the Fascists.

The Yugoslav communiqué admitted the fall of Skopje, key town on the Vardar about 60 miles north of the Greek frontier, to the German mechanized forces cutting across the Yugoslav waistline in Serbia.

"In air battles of the last two days the enemy has lost more than a dozen planes," the Yugoslav communiqué claimed.

A Yugoslav legion announcement over the Athens radio, heard by N. B. C. in New York said the German army forces heavily bombed the Yugoslav cities of Kragujevac, Kraljevo, Baska and Sjenica, the Associated Press reported.

### Ships Flew Swiss Flag

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Bern, Switzerland, April 9.—Information reached Bern today from Genoa that two Yugoslav freighters flying the Swiss flag recently arrived at that port, where they are now being held.

They are the Dubatz of 2,819 tons and the Una, of 1,391 tons. The Dubatz unloaded 3,000 tons of rubber, cotton and foodstuffs, and the Una 2,800 tons of wheat, all of which is said to have been sent on to Switzerland immediately.

## Invasion of Britain Unlikely Now, Russians Say

Moscow, April 9 (U.P.)—Russia paid high tribute to Yugoslavia and her allies in the Balkan war today and said that any chance of a German invasion of the British Isles had been removed for the time being.

"There can be no question of an invasion of Britain," the army organ Red Star said. "The central burden of the war has been transferred from the West to the East." Perhaps indicative of a new trend of policy, the government organ Izvestia summed up the results of civilian parachute exercises through the winter. It said that the Moscow district had 100,000 trained peasant home guards organized in 8,000 detachments covering 37 administrative regions.

In Moscow's most forthright comment on the new turn of the war, the Red Star said Germany was facing a serious enemy in Yugoslavia. It remarked that the Yugoslav command, operating closely with the British, was not confining itself to defense measures, but "apparently has launched an offensive against Albania, aimed to push the Italians into the sea and occupy all of Albania."

## Ulysses S. Grant In New Command



BRIG. GEN. ULYSSES S. GRANT 3D, grandson of the former president and a veteran Army engineer, yesterday was assigned to command the engineer replacement training center at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo. Formerly director of buildings and grounds for the Nation's Capital, Gen. Grant has been on duty as division engineer of the Great Lakes Division at Cleveland.

## Norwegians Reassured By Roosevelt

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President Roosevelt assured the people of Norway yesterday, on the first anniversary of the German attack on that country, that America will never forget either their "gallant fight against invasion" or their present "continuance of this fight to regain Norwegian independence."

The message was read by Crown Prince Olav of Norway in a short-wave broadcast from station WBUL in Boston. The text was:

"My Dear Crown Prince Olav: On this anniversary of the treacherous German attack on a peaceful neighbor we want you to know that through you, your father, the King and the people of Norway, that America will never forget the gallant fight against invasion and the continuance of this fight to regain Norwegian independence."

"Neither will America ever forget the fundamental, underlying right of the Norwegian people to work out in their own way, their own lives and destinies in the days to come, as they have done for many centuries in the past."

"Very sincerely yours,"

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT."

After broadcasting the contents of the letter in English and Norwegian, Crown Prince Olav said:

"I am certain that the King of Norway and the Norwegian people will feel the deepest gratitude for this proof of the sympathy of the American people and of their understanding of the fight which Norway is now fighting."

The crown prince reviewed the highlights of Norway's continued resistance to her temporary foreign masters.

"The Germans have, in Norway as in other occupied lands," he said, "destroyed the national armies, navies, and air forces in order to make these countries defenseless."

But there is one weapon which no human power can take from a people, and this is their stubborn will to live their own, national life. "We are convinced that justice and righteousness will finally triumph over injustice and violence, lies and terror. And may this second year of warfare bring us to the goal which all of us long for: An independent and happy Norway."

## President Hears Youths On Direct British Aid

President Roosevelt received yesterday from five college students a report on plans of American youth to send direct aid to Britain. They represented an organization called Young America Wants to Help, which is the school and college division of the British War Relief Society.

Mrs. Kermit Roosevelt, whose husband is a major in the British army, is national chairman. She said the President was "most interested in our organization" and that it was at his instigation that members called on him.

"He said youth today is being listened to more and more," Mrs. Roosevelt reported.

## Sen. Gurney Receives State Society Officers

Senator Chan Gurney (Republican), of South Dakota, new president of the South Dakota Society, last night had an informal reception for all the recently elected officers of the society. Other officers are:

Representative Karl Mundt, first vice president; Vera Mankinen, second vice president; Everin O'Brien, third vice president; Celo Karley, treasurer; June Drebing, secretary; Joe Dowling, activities chairman; Porter McKeever, publicity chairman; Arbutus Julian, membership chairman; Gladys Nichols, historian, and B. W. Kumlir, chaplain.

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## Coventry Defiant Amid Ruins of Second Raid

By Russell Landstrom

Associated Press Staff Writer

Coventry, England, April 9 (P.)—This historic Midlands city of Lady Godiva and Peeping Tom coped today with new devastation wrought overnight by German bombers in the worst assault since the disaster of last November 14.

The city still was unable to determine the toll of casualties or damage but sleepless volunteers set about the task of salvage and rescue.

The assault lasted for several hours. It was widespread, inflicting damage through the town and cleaving extensively through the residential sectors.

Telephone service was affected. Only curtailed service was available today.

Coventry counted among major property losses a celebrated hall of which only a hollow shell remains.

The almost priceless stained glass

windows and tapestries had been removed earlier for safe-keeping.

Bomb's also fell on the police station, a hospital and a hotel, and wiped out a community feeding center established after the November blitz.

Officials said morale was "wonderful." The people themselves, stunned for a second time, asserted: "We recovered and rebuilt after the November raid and we'll pull through this all right, too. It can't last forever. The enemy underestimates the British spirit. He can't break it—not with bombs, anyhow."

Many among the poor refused to accept help, saying it was charity and thus forbidden by their pride. Crowds filled the streets all day, most of them inspecting the wreckage, but many going about their necessary marketing just as if the air were not filled with brick dust and the streets not strewn with broken glass and stones.

## Hearings Set On Bill to Buy Foreign Vessels

House hearings on legislation authorizing the Maritime Commission to charter or purchase foreign vessels tied up in United States ports yesterday were set for next Thursday.

In ordering hearings, Chairman Schuyler Otis Bland of the House Merchant Marine Committee said he had in mind both the pending Oliver bill and the President's announcement that he will ask legislation for purchase of 36 Danish-owned merchant ships.

The President had indicated he will request the legislation today. The bill introduced March 19 by Representative Oliver (Republican), of Maine, empowers the Maritime Commission to charter or purchase any foreign ships, to insure them, and to either use them in foreign commerce in the defense emergency or re-charter them to private operators for that purpose.

The awaited Administration measures may provide for outright purchase and eliminate a provision of the Oliver bill restricting use of the vessels to replacements for vessels withdrawn from coastal or intercoastal American trade routes.

## Anacostia Lions Visit Post Plant

Twenty-five members of the Anacostia Lions Club, with their wives, visited the offices of The Washington Post last night after their semi-monthly dinner meeting and viewed the production of the newspaper on the tour of the plant.

The group was led by its president, Norman H. Murphy, Anacostia florist, and Secretary J. Louis Gelman, chief of the division of printing in the District government, who got his start 15 years ago as a Post stereotyper.

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## Free-Austria Plan Unfolded By 3 Fugitives

Three young men who are wanted by the Gestapo yesterday sat in the Pan-American Room of the Mayflower Hotel and unfolded their plans for "Austrian Action," a movement dedicated to liberation of the first nation that fell to Nazi invasion.

Count Ferdinand Czernin, son of a foreign minister of the old Austro-Hungarian Empire and chairman of "Austrian Action," told reporters that the organization set up last week in New York "will fight National Socialism wherever we encounter it."

"We are trying to convince the Austrian people that the fight which they cannot wage—except at the cost of useless bloodshed—is being fought for them," Czernin said.

"Austrian Action" has been incorporated under New York law, he explained, and since the first announcement of the group's formation, messages of support have been received from Austrian emigrants and American citizens of Austrian descent and "other friends of a free Austria."

He said "Austrian Action" will maintain representatives in more than a dozen North and South American cities including Washington, with its headquarters in New York City. "There will be quite a number of representatives in Vienna," he added.

"Our enrolled membership will be very small," Count Czernin continued, "since we must be certain of the reliability of each member and can use only those first with a desire to work for the freedom of Austria."

Count Czernin emphasized that he and the other officers of "Austrian Action" have taken out their first papers for American citizenship, are registered for selective service and "think of the United States as our home."

### Broadcasts Projected

The organization is now negotiating for a series of short-wave anti-Nazi broadcasts to Austria and to the considerable Austrian colonies in Central and South America, the chairman said. It will be supported, he stated, by contributions from Austrian emigrants, Americans of Austrian descent and "other friends of a free Austria."

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### Will Fight Propaganda Here

"We are going to work within the framework of the laws of America," he said, "to make a tangible contribution in the present fight for European freedom—for the freedom of mankind."

The organization expects to do some of its most valuable work, the chairman explained, in fighting Nazi propaganda among German-speaking groups in North and South America. Asked if this work might not be described as counter espionage in behalf of the United States Government, Count Czernin replied: "We shall keep the Justice Department fully informed of our activities."

Count Czernin and other members of the "Austrian Action" delegation yesterday called on Chairman George of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, and other Congressional leaders at the Justice Department and at the State Department, where they were told they would not be obliged to register officers of their organization as foreign agents.

### It Started in New York

The chairman said the "Austrian Action" movement grew out of a meeting of a few Austrians in New York last March 13, on the third anniversary of the Nazi annexation of their homeland. The group decided, "as a gesture," to register as blood donors for national defense. Czernin continued, and then began to consider ways and means of carrying on "an all-out fight" against Hitlerism.

They emphasized yesterday that their ability to speak German and their experience with Nazi fifth column tactics in Austria from 1933 to 1938 gave them special qualifications for combating "German infiltration in the United States."

With Czernin yesterday were Dr. Gregor Sebba, economist and Secretary of "Austrian Action," and "Mr. Rudolph," who, from 1938 to June of 1940, broadcast anti-Nazi messages to Austria from Prague and Paris.

"Mr. Rudolph," who said immigration and selective service officials have his real name (he expects to be drafted next fall), explained that "things will be easier for some of my friends in Austria if I don't get too much publicity."

"My record over there," he added, "is really bad."

## Baering Down On the News

By Arthur (Bugs) Baer

I always know we are at war when I read that a firm got a contract for \$114,953,986.67 to furnish blow-out patches for hot water bottles.

Nobody can buy things like the army, whether it intends to use 'em or not.

Then, when the war is over, the Army dumps 97,153,000 pairs of ear muffs on the market and just about ruins that business until another war.

We never learn anything more than an idiot looking at an alphabet written in invisible ink. You might have thought that 1917 would have taught us to have things as handy as a left-handed cobbler in a narrow shop.

But it didn't. And off we go to the hat again, with two sticks on us before we get there. However, the greatest nation in the world is coming through like perspiration on silk, even though we have to buy everything twice to make sure we get it once.

There will never be peace on this earth again so long as your ears turn red in the sunlight. Which I hope will be for many, many years to come.

From now on, the streamer sleep with their hats on.

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## First Poppy Sale



**PRESIDENT IS BUYER**—President Roosevelt yesterday officially opened the 1941 sale of Buddy Poppies for the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Carol Betty Wickman, 7-year-old daughter of a deceased war veteran, who came to Washington from Eaton Rapids, Mich., where she and her brother live at the V. F. W. National Home for widows and orphans of former service men, pinned the poppy on the President.

## Smithsonian Gets Indian Records

Rituals and music of the Iroquois nine-day "feast of fools," during which the Indians "fulfill" all their dreams of the preceding year, have been recorded and brought to Washington by Dr. William N. Fenton, Smithsonian Institution ethnologist.

Dr. Fenton observed the mid-winter festival, which was named the "feast of fools" by seventeenth century Jesuits, at the Six Nations Reservation in southern Ontario, Canada. The rites are believed to have remained unchanged for 300 years or more.

"The ceremonies range from what seem pure buffoonery to something approaching the sublime," Dr. Fenton explained.

"A dream is supposed to establish a contractual relation between the dreamer and the thing dreamed." By this means, Dr. Fenton explained, the tribe carries out a dream obligation incurred by the Creator himself.

## Russo-Japanese Agreement for Domination of Far East Reported Likely

By Douglas Robertson.  
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Shanghai, April 9.—It is understood here there is a sharp cleavage in important Japanese circles over Foreign Minister Yosuke Matsuoka's sojourn in Moscow, the Japanese army ranging on one side and Japanese financiers and industrialists taking the other.

It has long been believed Matsuoka's European travel was mainly directed toward fulfillment of some sort of agreement or pact with Germany and Russia, and it was learned today that a pact with Russia is assuming the largest proportions.

According to reliable reports, the foreign minister's efforts in Moscow are directed mainly to securing Russian acquiescence to a pact in which Japan would be acting solely as an independent nation, not as a member of the three-power alliance.

Japanese plans apparently envisage Japan and Russia controlling or dominating the Far East in all fields. The problem facing Japanese statesmen at present is what to do with Manchukuo, for it is improbable that, should the Soviets enter such a pact, they would tolerate Manchukuo as a separate independent member.

Reports here declare Japan is willing to give considerable concessions to Russia for a pact which

would give Japan an unopposed dominant position in the Far East, namely for the western, Mongolian portion of Manchukuo, Inner Mongolia and parts of Outer Mongolia to become a buffer state, completely disarmed and demilitarized and with a government possibly by a Japanese-Soviet commission.

Should such an agreement between Japan and the Soviet become a fact, it is said Japan would immediately make a determined drive to

cut off the Burma Road and destroy the Chinese railway under construction to supplement the road.

Bearing out these reports, numerous Japanese transports have departed from Wonsung and other Yangtze River ports carrying Japanese troops, all destined for some southern destination.

Japan's proposals to the Soviets for conclusion of a pact would help Japan destroy China's last contact with the outside world, namely

America and Britain, thereby isolating Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek to a mere regional commander.

Evidence that such a pact is more than probable is seen in the following facts: Soviet influence is increasing every week in Shanghai, more Soviet ships are arriving, more Soviet civilians and officials are taking up offices and residences, and more Soviet-controlled gaudy campaigns, even so far as newspapers and magazines are investigating definite pro-Soviet propaganda advocating the Soviet as a member of the Shanghai municipal council.

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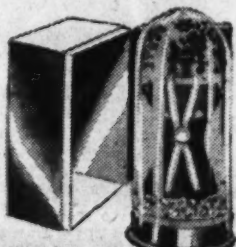
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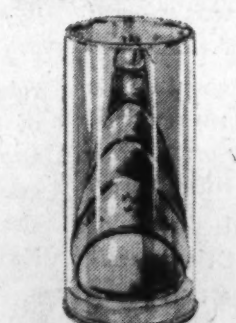
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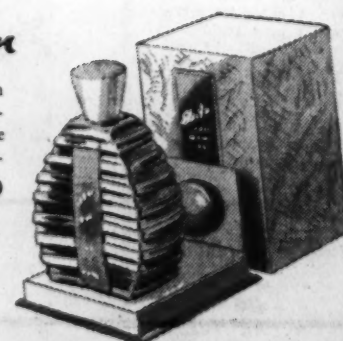
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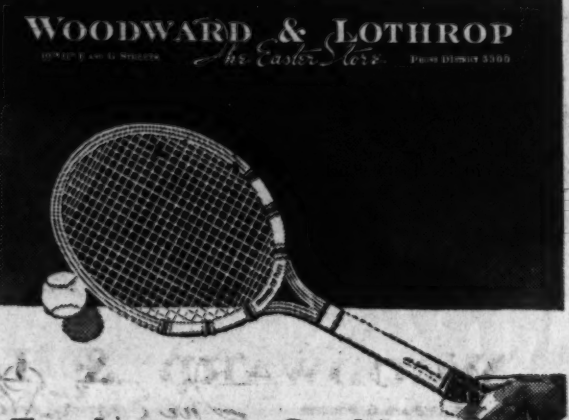
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## Folk Festival Leaders View Square Dance

Consultants and committee members of the National Folk Festival met last night with delegations of minstrels, fiddle band players, and ballad singers from Virginia, Maryland and North Carolina in the festival offices in the Munsey Building and stepped through lively and intricate measures of "running-set" square dances.

Music of autoharp, harmonica, fiddles, guitars and banjos drew impromptu audiences from other parts of the building, who clustered about the doors of the festival offices on the mezzanine floor.

Miss Sarah Gertrude Knott, national director, and Maj. M. J. Pickering, business manager of the Festival Association, made brief talks about the various groups who will participate in the Eighth Annual Folk Festival in Constitution Hall, May 1, 2 and 3, under the sponsorship of The Washington Post Folk Festival Association.

Dances, ballads, playmates and minstrelsy will be presented on the six programs by Indians, cowboys, anthracite miners, lumberjacks, mountain "harp" singers, sea chantey singers, dulcimer and fiddle players, banjo pickers and pipers, all famous in their home regions, Miss Knott asserted.

Three bands played for dancing last night in which consultants, whose interest in early American music is supposed to be scholarly and academic, took part. The Virginia Wandering Fiddle Band, from Remington, Mort MacDonald, banjo; Felton Peacher, fiddle, and Walter Peacher, guitar. The Stoneman Family, from Gales, Va., composed of "Dad" Stoneman, Patsy, daughter, and Billy and Eddie, sons, and the Arlington County Fiddle Band, C. R. Kines and William T. Micott, fiddles; E. L. Malley, guitar, and Belden Blankenbaker, mandolin, accompanied various complicated square dances.

Ballads of the West Virginia mountains were sung by Miss June Myers, who accompanied herself on the banjo.

## Eicher Is Elected SEC Chairman, Succeeding Frank

Edward C. Eicher, onetime Democratic Congressman from Iowa, yesterday was elected chairman of the Securities and Exchange Commission, succeeding Jerome N. Frank, who has been appointed to the Federal Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit.

Frank resigned as chairman but retained his office as commissioner. He announced that he would resign from the commission within a few days.

Eicher is 62 and a native of Washington County, Iowa.

He was appointed to the commission in December, 1938, for a term which expired last June, when he was reappointed for five more years.

## 2 Fidgety Bandits Take \$45 at Store

Two bandits, who waited for two customers to leave and then fidgeted awhile before producing revolvers, last night took \$45 from Edward Shorr, 28, proprietor of a food store at 2601 Sherman Avenue Northwest.

They took \$20 from the cash register, and when they started upstairs to ransack the Shorr apartment, they were halted by Shorr's wife, Frieda, 25, who feared the intruders might hurt her sleeping baby. She urged the bandits to take \$25 more hidden in an ice box, and leave.

However, before leaving, the bandits tied Mr. and Mrs. Shorr to a chair.

## Virginians Tune Up for Folk Festival



**FIDDLERS THREE**—The Virginia Wanderers, fiddle band from Remington, were among the players who met last night with committee members of the National Folk Festival. Left to right—Walter Peacher, Felton Peacher and Mort MacDonald. The festival will be staged in Constitution Hall May 1, 2 and 3.

## Nazis Reported Building Dollar Reserve in U. S.

*By the Associated Press*  
New York, April 9.—The New York Herald Tribune says that the Department of Justice has begun an investigation of German-controlled chemical firms in this country "which, in the last year have been engaged actively in trade with Latin American countries, the result being the building up in New York banks of huge dollar reserves for the Nazis."

"Frankly labeled as an apparently successful effort to break the British financial blockade," the paper said. "Federal antitrust officials said at the same time that the economic control exercised in this country by the Germans was creating a shortage of important pharmaceutical and chemical materials, including antishock serum."

Referring to the general investigation of German-controlled companies which have been under way for some time, the Herald-Tribune said that Federal authorities had subpoenaed the books and records of the Schering Corporation, of Bloomfield, N. J., and the Swiss Bank Corporation, of New York.

Data thus obtained, the paper said, would be turned over to a Federal grand jury in the near future.

Regarding the examination of the Swiss Bank's records, the paper said that money obtained by the German-controlled companies from Latin-American purchasers, instead of going to Berlin, had been deposited here in the Swiss Bank, thus giving German owners big dollar reserves.

## 2 Washington Women Die Of Burns on Same Day

Burns proved fatal to two Washington women yesterday. Mrs. Eva Dell Myers, 51, died at Georgetown Hospital at 4:15 a. m. She was burned over most of her body Tuesday evening when her one-story cabin near Glen Echo lock on the Chesapeake & Ohio Canal caught fire, trapping her.

When firemen arrived they found Mrs. Myers practically enveloped in flames. Her hair was burning and all her clothing had been burned off. The fire is believed to have been caused by an exploding gasoline stove.

## Red Cross Calls For Blood Donors

The District chapter of the American Red Cross yesterday issued a call for blood donors to assist in treatment of men in Army and Navy hospitals here.

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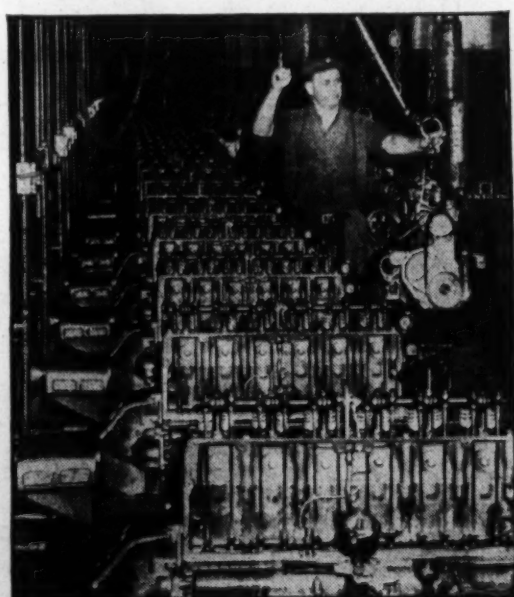
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# Mrs. Harriman Urges Convoys For Supplies

By the Associated Press  
New York, April 9.—A plea for "protection" of American supply ships sent to Great Britain and her allies was made tonight by Mrs. J. Borden Harriman, former Minister to Norway.

In a speech prepared for delivery over the W.A.B.C.-C.B.S. radio network, Mrs. Harriman said attempts to send unprotected vessels across the ocean were "worse than useless."

"There can be no half-way measures today," she said. "The important and basic point is that these ships must be protected in the most efficient manner. What that manner will be must be decided by experts. All we must do is inform our representatives that we approve of protection and leave the means of protection to them."

She spoke under auspices of the Committee to Defend America by Aiding the Allies.

Mrs. Harriman said the United States had more to fear from appeasers "than Hitler's legions," and faced its greatest danger "in the unbelievable apathy which exists in some parts" of the country.

"Awake America, or prepare to perish," she said. "Thermopylae, Hastings and the Alamo will live in the hearts of men the world over long after Munich is but the memory of an ancient shame."

Earlier, Mrs. Harriman issued a statement advocating that the United States convoy war shipments to Britain if necessary to insure delivery.

Mrs. Harriman issued the statement in connection with her appointment as vice chairman of the committee and chairman of its women's division.

"Every ship that is sunk, every cargo that goes down, is a help to Hitler," she said. "Our problem is to insure the delivery of materials to those ports for which they are intended, and if that means convoys, we should convoy without further question or delay."

"Why should we pay higher taxes and work longer hours if the fruits of our labor are to be lost? That convoys involve a risk is not to be doubted but a Nazi controlled Atlantic would mean the end of American freedom. We must make the choice now."

# Haverford Alumni Hear Morley Laud Small Colleges

"The spirit of democracy, shown in the individuality of the small college in America, is more important than tanks and guns in preserving democratic institutions in the face of the totalitarian threat," Dr. Felix Morley, president of Haverford College, said last night. Speaking at the annual spring dinner of the Haverford Alumni Association's District chapter in the Wardman Park Hotel, Dr. Morley praised the work of small colleges throughout the Nation in "building initiative at a time when it is urgently needed."

# New National Airport Rapidly Being Completed



FINISHING TOUCHES are applied by workmen at Gravelly Point to the administration building of the new National Airport, scheduled for opening this month.

# German Embassy Clerk Granted Draft Deferment

Philadelphia, April 9 (AP).—Dr. Carl Heinz Sennhenn, 28-year-old clerk in the German Embassy at Washington, was granted temporary deferment in selective service lists today and ordered to appear for a hearing before his local draft board here on Monday.

Sennhenn originally was down on the board's list for induction into the Army today. He applied for his first citizenship papers two years ago. Leon J. Obermayer, chairman of Local Board 82, said deferment was granted "because we wanted to be fair to him."

He said Sennhenn has made no claim for exemption, but instead wrote asking for an appeal from his classification.

He is married to a daughter of the late E. Pusey Passmore, Philadelphia financier. His wife and daughter live here.

# \$179 in Purse Stolen From Dress Shop

Mrs. Minnie A. Strom's purse containing \$179.50 in cash and \$20.50 in checks disappeared yesterday afternoon from a desk in her dress shop at 6817 Georgia Avenue Northwest.

Three women customers and a colored girl were in the shop at the time.

# Lunch, Sewing Projects Here Threatened

Abandonment of nonconstruction projects under the District WPA was forecast yesterday by Administrator Paul Edwards as the rolls were reduced to 8,500 workers, 700 under last month.

Included in this category are the \$330,000 school lunch program, the sewing room project and projects employing workers at Gallinger Hospital and the Home for Aged and Infirm.

Edwards said additional "drastic" cuts will be made in May in line with the Federal policy of reducing the Nation's WPA enrollment. He said he hoped, however, that the school lunch fund, which provides meals for 9,000 undernourished children daily, could be classified as collateral service to the defense system and be maintained throughout the year. District officials predicted the program would not be eliminated.

The administrator said about 4,800 of his present enrollment are on construction projects and another 500 on Government-sponsored work linked with the defense program and hence in no danger of losing their jobs. However, he said, about 2,800 persons are now engaged in nonconstruction works which are not certified under the emergency program.

Edwards made his report to the Commissioners and warned them some "valuable" projects would have to be dropped unless the city heads could take over and finance the projects.

# Battle of Words Follows Boost In Circus Rent

A story published in The Post yesterday has resulted in a battle of statements between Francis F. Gillen, senior assistant superintendent of National Capital Parks, and Melvin D. Hildreth, local circus fan.

The latter started it off by criticizing the parks office's decision to boost rental of the circus grounds from \$150 to \$833 a day for the Ringling Bros. Barnum & Bailey show, due to play here May 15, 16 and 17.

Gillen's rejoinder yesterday was that it takes a third of the 80-man Park Police force to keep order on the 10-acre lot at Twenty-first and C Streets Northwest, and besides:

"We figure the circus took in \$100,000 in three days last year. At that rate, it ought to be able to stand a little increase in rent."

Hildreth, former president of the Circus Fans Association of America, said "they took in less than half that figure."

# Jury Acquits Death Car Driver

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about 1:30 a. m.

As he approached the scene of the fire, which police said was marked by warning flares, Dr. Davis said he "ran into blinding lights" and slowed down, thinking another car was approaching. "While still blinded, I felt the collision," he testified.

Dr. Davis said he couldn't have been traveling faster than 30 miles an hour at the moment of impact. Prosecution witnesses testified that they estimated the speed of his car at between 50 and 70 miles an hour.

F. Bernard Welsh, chief of defense counsel, attempted to show his client was blinded by a spotlight on a police car, which officers testified they flashed on in order to warn the approaching vehicle.

The prosecution's "star" witness, Dr. Emil Bauersfeld, Bethesda physician, who examined the dentist shortly after the accident, admitted under cross-examination by Welsh that he was interrupted before he had a chance to give Dr. Davis any reaction tests.

Eight character witnesses testified in behalf of Dr. Davis. They included two justices of the United States District Court for the District of Columbia—Oscar R. Lurhing and James M. Proctor. Both patients of Dr. Davis, they said they had known him personally for some time and that his reputation was "very good" as to sobriety, peace and good order.

# Army May Equip U. S. Troops With New Life-Saving Drugs

A drug capable of saving the lives of many thousands of wounded soldiers has been developed recently, Brig. Gen. Shelly W. Marietta, commanding officer of the Army Medical Center, said last night at a meeting of Washington chapter, National Sojourners. He spoke at Lafayette Hotel.

The officer declared that drugs of the sulfanilamide group would avert death through their powers of prophylaxis against infection if used soon after the injury occurred. He indicated the Army might prepare portable kits of the drug to be carried by the soldier into combat.

The general also said Army medical researchers were working on a serum to combat an influenza epidemic which, he said, was likely within the year. Marietta pointed to the mild influenza epidemic of the past year as an indication of the spread of the germ.

Other speakers at the meeting included Maj. Gen. Amos A. Fries, retired, and Maj. Gen. Merritt W. Ireland, retired.

Before the addresses the following were named delegates to the organization's national convention in Charleston, S. C., May 22-24: Gen. Fries, Gen. Ireland, Col. John A. Smith, Lieut. Col. Edwin S. Bettelheim, Jr., Lieut. Col. Arthur J.

Perry, Lieut. Col. George Funmacht, Dr. Bolivar J. Lloyd, Brig. Gen. C. R. Howland, Maj. Charles F. Roberts, Col. Louis A. Kunzig, Col. Charles C. Allen, Capt. Paul M. Filmer, Lieut. Comm. Fred P. Guthrie, Lieut. Col. Edwin L. White, Capt. Nathan Williams, Lieut. F. I. Burnham, Capt. W. J. Petersen and Maj. Harold E. Rosecrans.

# Lieut. Murphy, Spanish War Hero, Dies at 73

San Diego, Calif., April 9 (AP).—Lieut. John E. Murphy, 73, one of the last survivors of the crew of seven which sank the collier Merrimac in the Spanish-American War, died today at the Naval Hospital.

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## Peruvian Wins First in Prize Novel Contest

Special Dispatch to The Post  
New York, April 9.—Two winners in the Latin-American Prize Novel Contest, Ciro Alegria, of Peru, who will receive first prize, and Miguel Angel Menendez, of Mexico, are en route here and will arrive this week to attend the Pan-American Day dinner in their honor Monday at the Waldorf-Astoria.

### McLeish to Preside

Archibald MacLeish, the Librarian of Congress, will preside, and Nelson Rockefeller will be principal speaker at the dinner at which the Latin-American authors will receive the awards.

Lowell Thomas and Henry Hull will participate in a dramatization written by Stephen Vincent Benet of a scene from the prize-winning book, "Broad and Allen is the World."

The author, Ciro Alegria, will be guest of honor. The three others will receive honorable mention.

Blair Niles will present Senor Alegria the prize of \$2,500, which was offered jointly by the publishing firm of Farrar & Rinehart and Redbook Magazine. Redbook Magazine will give an additional prize of \$1,500 each to the other winners for serial rights of their novels.

### Will Be Broadcast

From 9:30 to 9:45 p. m., parts of the program including the dramatization and awarding of the prize will be broadcast in Spanish over the short wave for the Latin-American radio audience. The program from 10 to 10:30 will be broadcast over the National Broadcasting Co.'s blue network (in Washington over Station WMAL.) The four prize-winning authors are being brought to this country for the dinner through the cooperation of Pan-American Airways, the Grace Line and the Moore McCormack Lines.

## Army Major Dies In 20-Story Plunge

Louisville, Ky., April 9 (AP).—Major John Paul Dean, 44, of the Army Engineers, was killed today in a plunge from the twentieth floor of a downtown office building. Coroner John M. Keane listed the death as suicide.

Dean, whose wife and children are at West Point, N. Y., was transferred from there two weeks ago to be chief of the food control section of the Louisville engineer's office.

## Latin Republics In Shape to Buy, Rockefeller Says

By Robert C. Albright  
Post Staff Writer

Priorities enabling Latin American republics to purchase in this country some \$1,000,000,000 in materials essential to the maintenance of their economic stability yesterday were urged by Nelson A. Rockefeller.

In an interview with The Post, Rockefeller warned that shortage of iron, steel, tools, machinery and other goods in the nations to the South might bring drastic economic contraction, followed by Nazi-inspired political upheavals.

With South America deprived of heavy imports from Europe by the war and in an exchange position to buy them here, Rockefeller said that only by this Nation "pulling in its belt a little" on domestic demands could the supplies be furnished.

### No Conflict With Defense

As coordinator of commercial and cultural relations between the Americas, Rockefeller proposed a system of priorities that would permit the southern republics to buy goods vitally needed ahead of non-essential domestic orders but in no case interfering with defense or aid orders.

Large surpluses brought on by the war loss of export markets, Rockefeller said, had been relieved by movement of wool, beef, hides and cotton supplies and many of the nations were able to finance still large surpluses of wheat, corn, cocoa and coffee.

Their present need, he said, is largely for manufactured articles basic to their economic existence. "Most of them have the exchange and money to buy these here but it looks like they may not be able to get them because of our own needs," he said.

### Drain on Shipping a Problem

The world drain on shipping he said also presented a problem in movement of increased Latin American trade. This would be met by more effective use of existing ships on southern trade lanes.

As part of its hemispheric policy, Rockefeller believes the United States must see that Latin America receives essentials necessary to avoid suffering that would bring political instability in its wake. He said Axis-controlled minorities are awaiting just such a situation. Latin America normally uses about \$1,400,000,000 in merchandise, only \$125,000,000 of which is supplied internally. Eliminating all but essentials, it was estimated it could get by with approximately \$1,000,000,000 of the needed supplies, most of which would be purchased here.

Among the most vital are listed iron and steel and their products, machinery and tools, and automotive equipment. Rockefeller said the United States has taken invaluable basic steps to preserve the stability and political independence of the nations to the south through exchange loans of the Export-Import Bank, loans for internal industrial development, purchase of strategic materials, the inter-American coffee agreement and continuing efforts to stimulate trade. To consolidate that policy he said products required for stability must be supplied, even if priorities are required to make them available.

## Elbo Elected Head Of Filipino Council

Candido T. Elbo, chief clerk in the office of the Philippine Resident Commissioner, has been elected president of the Filipino Executive Council of Washington. Other new officers include Emilio B. Butuyan, vice president; Osunio Reynante, secretary; Bernardo A. DeGula, treasurer; Ruperio M. Flores, auditor.

## Lyon Post to Elect

Election of officers will be held at a meeting of John Lyon Post, No. 3150, Veterans of Foreign Wars, tonight at 8, in Legion Hall, North Washington Boulevard.

## Democracy Rests on Business, Bernard Tells Advertising Club

On the success of business depends the preservation of democracy, said Donald M. Bernard, advertising director, of The Washington Post,

speaking yesterday at a luncheon of the Advertising Club of Washington at the Raleigh Hotel.

And, he added, the success of business depends on the intelligent use of advertising by businessmen.

"Advertising," said Bernard, "will not make guns, or tanks, or planes, but advertising will keep the wheels of business—the machinery of democracy—running so that business in this country can pay the bill."

## Marcel Prevost Dies

Vichy, France, April 9 (AP).—Marcel Prevost, 79, French novelist and playwright and member of the French Academy since 1900, died last night in Vichy.



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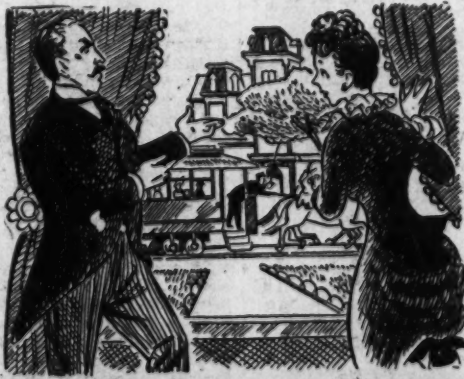
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## Balkan Blitz

Five days after Hitler launched his attack on Yugoslavia and Greece, German forces were in possession of Salonika, having in the meantime smashed their way down the Vardar River Valley and forced the surrender of the Greek troops who had been fighting a valiant rear guard action in Thrace. The magnitude of this latest Nazi victory is not to be discounted. When the fighting began, few assumed that the Yugoslavs and Greeks with the support of the British would indefinitely be able to hold the line against Hitler's mechanized legions. It was believed, however, that there would this time be no repetition of the lighting success scored by the Germans first in Norway and later in the Low Countries and France. The German army, it was generally assumed, would be held up for some time by difficulties of the terrain.

These assumptions have so far proved false. While striking out through the Rupa Pass at the Greek forces assembled in Thrace, a powerful German unit crossed the mountains separating the Struma River from the Vardar and captured Skopje. This sudden and possibly unexpected assault crumbled the Yugoslav lines, thus enabling the Germans to press down the Vardar Valley. In consequence the right wing of the Greek line was forced to give way and the evacuation of Salonika was ordered. Now a German force is driving on to effect a junction with the Italians. If that junction is made and in sufficient depth to make possible an impregnable line of communications the blow to the Allies would be even greater than that which they suffered through the loss of Salonika. For then Yugoslavia would be cut off from Greece and the joint Greek-Yugoslav pressure on the harassed Italian forces in Albania would lose much of its force. Whether the Allies can prevent that juncture is problematical, however, in view of the circumstance that, with the capture of Tetovo, Prilep and Veles, German troops are now within 15 miles of the nearest Italian forces.

In view of the lack of information, it is far from clear as to just what took place. It is apparent, however, that this time as in the past, the Germans had the enormous advantage of choosing the time and the place to attack. Instead of aiming their first attack at Belgrade, the Germans contented themselves with the bombardment of the Yugoslav capital, which has now largely been laid in ruins. Instead their most considerable drive appears to have been toward a point far to the south of Belgrade. The Allies had to guard a long, extended front. Yet they lacked any carefully coordinated program of action. As long as Yugoslavia was neutral, and that was the case from the beginning of the war until the country was actually attacked, it was out of the question to work out any joint Anglo-Greek-Yugoslav strategy. Nor could the British risk sending to Yugoslavia any considerable quantity of equipment from their all-too-meager store. The curse of the policy of neutrality pursued by the little nations of Europe has again returned to plague them. It had disastrous consequences in the case of Norway, Netherlands and Belgium. It is now repeating its toll in the Balkans. Because of this neutrality Yugoslavia found herself with a limited supply of modern weapons with which to hurl back the fierce German mechanized assault. And because of the seemingly friendly relations that existed between Athens and Berlin, the Greek government was loath to permit large-scale reinforcements of British troops to reach Greece, and the British were not in line when the attack began. The beginning of the Nazi blitz thus saw a repetition in the Balkans of the grim situation that occurred when Holland and Belgium were attacked last year.

Nonetheless, it is far too early to take a hopeless view of the situation either in the Balkans or in North Africa. In the Balkans the great bulk of the British forces have not yet been engaged. Hardened veterans of Gen. Wavell's army, they can be expected to give a good account of themselves. Moreover, the Greek and Yugoslav armies are in the field and must continue to be reckoned with. And in Africa the German-Italian drive cannot compensate Italy for the smashing up of Graziani's army or the

loss of supplies painfully accumulated over a period of five years. It is most unlikely that from the recaptured Libyan bases, Germany will be able to mount an offensive against Egypt, though the recaptured airfields can be used to harass British shipping in the eastern Mediterranean. But the greatest comfort to British may derive from a situation which is otherwise very dark indeed is that Hitler's Balkan venture postpones the invasion of Britain and has compelled him to divide his forces. If the Allied lines hold at any point, and compel Germany to undertake a prolonged campaign, the striking victories won by Hitler during the past five days will prove to have only a temporary and limited value. The fight goes on.

## Put Out The Fire

If British morale needed sustenance (and there is no evidence that it does), release of ten Coast Guard cutters to the British, coming on the morrow of the fall of Salonika, would be calculated to buoy it up. The item will advertise anew our stake in a Nazi defeat. But this contribution is slight compared with the needs, and it is piecemeal at a time when a victory policy on shipping and shipbuilding aid is urgently required. For the sea losses in the Battle of the Atlantic are climbing inexorably and ominously. At the present rate the Germans are sinking twice as much tonnage as the British and Americans are building.

In these circumstances the speech by Rear Admiral Emory S. Land, chairman of the Maritime Commission, on Tuesday is very much to the point. He spoke of contributions of ships as "feeding the flames." Possibly he would use the same phrase in describing the latest contribution of ten cutters. What is needed is, in the admiral's words, assistance in "putting out the fire." In this metaphorical language the admiral says what The Post has been saying since the President was vested with lend-lease authority. Clearly the American people, when they insisted on this dovetailing of our factories with the war effort, intended that we should likewise dovetail our policy with the view of insuring victory. No other construction makes sense.

To that end all old defense policies which stood in the way of this master policy should have been revamped. A two-ocean navy, for instance, now acts as a frustration. For the new navy was authorized on the hypothesis that the British might lose the war. And this is the way to create the very thing we contemplate, since the two-ocean navy takes up facilities in our shipyards which are desperately needed for the aid-to-Britain ship program. More freights in 1942, as Admiral Land implies, are certainly worth more than more battleships in 1946 in buying victory.

Now the sand is running through the hourglass at a blitz pace. And the year 1942 already seems far away in view of what is happening in the Balkans, in north Africa, and in the Battle of the Atlantic. The time for shipping aid is now, or else. We cannot wait upon the shipyards, for the hemorrhage that is going on in British sea power is bringing the Nazi menace into our front yard. We must, therefore, nerve the British in this year of supreme endurance—as supreme a test as ever a nation has endured in all history—by relieving them of some of the responsibility of carrying and conveying. As to carrying, the President already has hinted that he may soon free the Red Sea and the Gulf of Aden from their designation as combat zones and restore them to service for American merchantmen. He should carry out this hint. By such a step we would be sharing with the British some of their far-flung carrying. As to conveying, Admiral Land seems to join an ever-increasing chorus that this problem must be dragged out of the interdepartmental closets of argumentation over rival methods. The war may be lost while we dispute over ways and means of insuring that our supplies get to Britain instead of to Davy Jones' locker.

Nelson once said that "the boldest measures are the safest." The fire is raging fiercely across the Atlantic, and it is bound to sweep the Americas if we don't take bold measures to put it out along the lines suggested and implied by Admiral Land. This, in part, is what we have pledged ourselves to undertake. "Action and action now" has been the key phrase for "immediate, unqualified, and all-out aid." Yet the hour has almost struck, and we are still content with piecemeal measures. Nothing less than a dovetailing of Anglo-American strategy in regard to both shipping and blockade will save our country from bankruptcy in its foreign policy and this hemisphere from disintegration.

## Four To Four

The Supreme Court appears to have set a new record on Monday when it handed down four decisions by tie votes. One or more 4-to-4 decisions may be expected during most sessions of the Court. But employees of that tribunal cannot recall any other occasion when as many as four decisions on which the Court has been evenly divided have been handed down in a single day. When the conflicting views of the justices thus

cancel each other out, the decisions of the lower courts are permitted to stand. That seems to be the only practicable arrangement. But decisions thus sustained sometimes occupy a precarious position. For example, Government attorneys have announced their intention to seek a rehearing of a case recently decided by a 4-to-4 vote as soon as the present vacancy on the high bench is filled. In any event, decisions handed down by an evenly divided court leave much to be desired. The tendency of the Court to divide on many issues, regardless of the fact that it now has a clear majority of justices named by President Roosevelt, should serve to hasten the nomination of a ninth justice. Even though the Court is less affected by the national emergency than other branches of the Government, it has momentous decisions to make. It needs its full complement of justices.

## Senator Sheppard

Perhaps the word that best characterizes Senator Morris Sheppard, who died yesterday, is one rarely applied to successful politicians—"inflexibility." And yet Senator Sheppard's success is sufficiently attested by nearly 40 years of continuous service in Congress and by a large volume of influential legislation that he fostered or sponsored. Partly because he was inflexible he could succeed where more adroit and perhaps more gifted men failed. In debate, for example, he often wore down his more eloquent opponents. And because his convictions were unshakable many of them prevailed.

Senator Sheppard took as axiomatic many propositions that other men in their hearts may doubt or dispute. He was convinced, for example, of the reality of human progress and this conviction was not to be disturbed by any contrary argument. Nor could all the woeful experience of the 1920s persuade him to alter his conviction that any compromise with one of the most ancient and ingrained appetites of man would be a compromise with evil. In 1933 he attempted a solitary and futile filibuster against repeal of the prohibition amendment.

Because he believed with inflexible conviction in progress, the word on his lips was more than an empty slogan. If his faith in progress sometimes insulated him against realities, it also insulated him against those discouragements to which in a democracy the best-intentioned statesmen too often succumb. Only a man who believed in human progress could believe that democratic politics can be purified, and because he believed this Senator Sheppard in 1938 conducted his investigation into campaign expenditures with an amazing thoroughness and vigor. Thus he prepared the ground for the subsequent passage of the Hatch Act. It was his faith as chairman of the Military Affairs Committee that democratic processes will work, even in assembling an army, that helped to give the Selective Service Act its present form. In short it was faith that enabled him to work with zeal and persistence throughout all his long career. And now it may be truly said, with deep regret, that he has literally worked himself to death in the service of his country.

## Ranger's Last Ride

The death of Earle W. Graser, who played the Lone Ranger on the radio, will be a subject of regret to his millions of juvenile listeners, if they hear about it. The idea that it will be a shock is something else, for they never knew Mr. Graser. Only by the tragic end of his last ride—in an automobile—is he revealed as a mild-mannered gentleman who really had nothing in common with the hard-riding fictional hero of the old West—except a resonant voice. He was born in Kitchener, Ontario, and his background for the exploits of an extra-legal guardian of frontier justice must have been gained while studying law in Detroit. But, again, the notion that these discoveries will disillusion the youngsters is somewhat off the track. In the realm of pure fantasy, cold facts don't count. Discrepancies between reality and fiction may baffle parents, but they will see their children listening just as avidly while the Lone Ranger rides on with the same thunder of hoofs—though with a slightly different intonation in his "Hi-yo, Silver."

## THE COCK CROWS TWICE

Simon Peter  
Wept bitter tears.  
The crow of the cock  
Was piercing his ears.  
The cock crowed too,  
When night was high,  
But Simon Peter  
Heard not the cry.  
Heard not the cry  
Till the morning was late  
When he sat by the fire  
There at the gate.  
Sat by the blue-fire  
His back to the flame,  
Told the servants  
He knew not His Name.  
Peter, Peter,  
Who denied Him thrice,  
Grant us tears,  
For the cock crows twice.  
JOSEPHINE ADAMO.

## Where Do I Get The Money For A New Suit?



## Letters To The Editor

## Of Truth

"Truth must be an absolute," says The Post in an editorial, "Back to the Grotius." April 7, with the utterly illogical implication that The Post has thereby identified truth with its views and those of Grotius. Most assuredly the interpretation of the superficial, empirical "truths" of human history is a matter of opinion and not of any absolute and controlling truth. The intellectual consequences of "historicism" are precisely the fatalistic mysticism of Spengler, with its philosophical justification for personal authority in government which is the heart of Pan-Germanism.

## Ray Of Cheer

In these days of the intensification of vast nation-against-nation collisions, happening just at the time of world-wide observance of the Easter miracle, harassed humanity should derive consolation and courage from the reflection that its earthly home, a mere note in the chaos of the cosmos, is after all the chosen proving ground of its Creator, the garden of which humanity is the flower—which the Creator is striving to bring to perfection.

Washington, April 8.

Bethesda, Md., April 8.

W. D.

EASY.

The Civil Service And Defense

To the thoughtful observer it would seem that some more constructive approach to the problem of adequate stenographic help in the various defense agencies than we have at present might be worked out. Just now we have an overworked Civil Service Commission struggling with certifications to defense jobs for hundreds of eligibles who refuse to accept them when offered—many of them employees whose services would be exceedingly valuable at this time. These are mostly women who have been working in non-Civil Service agencies, most of whom started with grade 2 positions but who have either worked up within their grade or to higher allocations. And who are naturally reluctant to start with the \$1,440 offered them by Civil Service.

Dealing with the volume of work that it does, the Civil Service naturally is bound by certain rules, yet a Government office might encourage the applicant to take short-hand dictation at 96 or 120 words a minute, and the lift which some tangible acknowledgment of worth would give to competent workers is considerable. It would be far easier for defense agencies to get the kind of help they need in the emergency, and the Government itself would gain back in competent services more than enough to compensate it for applying the same standards as are used every day in private business.

The Civil Service Commission, perhaps the most overworked agency in the Government today, would gain by finding stenographers far less coy about accepting positions for which they have qualified. The suggestion is well worth thinking over, for if ever there were a place and a time where the Government needed competent help, it is in the defense agencies and now.

GLADYS PAVLAT.  
Mount Rainier, Md., April 7.

## Fervor In Defense

This past weekend I took my four children to Washington, as I felt that Army Day, and the parade, was a more significant spectacle than the Cherry Blossoms in this year of total defense effort. We secured in advance five reserved seats just opposite the reviewing stands, and were all set and eager to view in our National Capital a parade dramatizing the new citizen army.

After the first ten minutes of solemn "Regulators" had marched by, there came frolicking and tripping the remainder of the parade. It appeared to be a motley conglomeration of the follies of 1941, and a Sunday school picnic. Young women in diminutive skirts cut capers before the reviewing stands where stood our War Secretary and Gen. Marshall at attention.

This frivolity was not greeted with any enthusiasm that I could see by the crowds who were waiting to view something representative of our national defense effort. A man near me got chuckles of appreciation when he remarked disgustedly, "This parade will certainly set Hitler back. Nothing is missing except the circus freaks. I thought this was the Army, not Barnum."

The affect of this disillusioning spectacle on my children was not the sole reason I regretted bringing them.

The next day, Sunday, we visited the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier at Arlington. There in the foreground before the Tomb we recognized a group of the more frivolous units of the previous day's parade. They were talking, laughing, smoking, chewing gum, leaning against the tomb, evidently on a lark, and most unsuitably I thought, being photographed by the press.

Lack of reverence is communicable. Believe me what impresses young people, and all people, is deadly earnestness on the part of those that have authority and responsibility. It is such serious leadership that is lacking in America today. The rank and file are sound and willing and fervent, but they are affronted by tolerance of lawlessness in defense efforts, and their sense of justice and propriety is outraged by frivolity and vulgarity in patriotic spectacles and national shrines.

FUTURE DRIFT.

Hewlett, N. Y., April 8.

All-Out Effort

Hitler did a peculiar thing in precipitating the Balkan War. He took the trouble to declare war on Yugoslavia. This is the first time he ever declared war on anybody. Obviously, he used this device to make gullible people think his country was attacked first and therefore had no declare war. He must have done this only because he felt that Germans were a little skeptical about Yugoslavian attacks on Germany. Remembering that Britain and France declared war on Germany earlier, Hitler sought to whitewash himself.

But to thoughtful Americans it indicates a straw in the wind. Hitler has had to engage in war on another front. And he has had to change his diplomatic tactics in so doing. In other words, it is a tacit admission that he no longer has the initiative in this war. And so now the time for isolationist Americans to pipe down. The American program of all aid to the democracies has at last succeeded in winning its first trick in this war. Hitler has had to reverse himself militarily and diplomatically.

This is no time for us to weaken or slacken in our national effort to rush supplies to Britain and others; rather, it is a time to take an embarrassing position. Isolationist Americans can still hamstring our efforts by fruitless, time-wasting debate on convoys and all their other petty word-slinging. But if isolationist Americans will just quietly take a back seat at this stage of affairs and let the lend-lease bill work 100 per cent, Hitler's setback will soon become a rout.

HORACE E. LEVIN.  
New York City, April 8.

## The Post Impressionist

## The Lost Ship

A heavy gale swept over the Atlantic March 12-13, 1941. There was little anxiety over ocean voyagers, until March 31, when the London Times announced that the steamships President and Britannia were considerably overdue at Liverpool and suggested that they had been delayed by the weather. The Orpheus, which left New York two days after the President, reached Liverpool April 2, without seeing the other. The skipper of the Orpheus said the President might have been disabled by the storm in which case she might have run southward or worked to the east under canvas. On April 2 the steam packet Virginia docked at Liverpool, after crossing from New York in little more than 13 days. Later the Britannia arrived, also bringing no word of the President.

The President, of the Royal Mail Packet Service, had left New York bound for Liverpool on March 11, 1941. For a century the sea has kept a secret the fate of this "magnificent steamship." About 121 persons were aboard. They included W. G. Tyrone Power, eminent Irish actor and great-grandfather of the film Tyrone Power; Lord Fitzroy Lennox, son of the Duke of Richmond, and the Rev. George G. Cookmore of Alexandria, Va. Edwin Forrest, American stage star, had a hunch misfortune would befall the President and begged his transatlantic colleague not to sail on her, but the 43-year-old Power, concluding his fourth professional tour in "this country, but nothing and smiling, Joseph N. Ireland, theatrical authority, called him "the most perfect comedian of his class ever known on the American stage."

England and America speculated over the mystery as false reports circulated. A rumor arose in Birmingham on April 13 that the vessel had reached Liverpool in "a shattered condition." The London Times on April 16 related that Queen Victoria, leaving Buckingham Palace for Windsor Castle, left strict instructions that immediately upon news of the President's arrival in Liverpool, a special messenger should be dispatched with the intelligence. Lloyds of London was informed—erroneously—that Mrs. Roberts, wife of the ill-fated captain, had received a letter from in Madeira for repairs to rudder and engines. A letter, purported to have been mailed in Madeira by her husband and brought by press to Mrs. Power, was dismissed as a forgery. "Power is a man of such energy," said a professional associate, Webster of the Haymarket Theater, "that whenever he is heard of, he will be the bearer of his own news. He would not let a ship depart without him." A Cork newspaper reported that a bottle had been picked up at sea containing a scrap of paper with a scribbled message: "The President is sinking. God help us all.—Tyrone Power."

Capt. Fayer, former master of the President, wrote Mrs. Power that he had no doubt the ship was heading for Bermuda, because of contrary winds to the north. "I will stake my reputation," averred Fayer, "on the stability of the ship." As weeks passed, many accepted the opinion of reading the post. The President had foundered in the heavy gale off Newfoundland. There was a possibility she had struck one of the icebergs which at that time are to be found in the North Atlantic.

In his poem, "The Lost Ship," Daniel Bryan, of Alexandria, pictured the President as an iceberg victim. At a meeting of the Alexandria Lyceum on June 15, 1941, Bryan paid tribute to his late fellow member, the Rev. Mr. Cookman, and ended by reading the poem. Bryan recalled the eulogy of a Federal judge that Mr. Cookman had delivered a few months ago, apparently not long before he departed for his native England. In the presence of the President and members of the Cabinet, Senate and House, Mr. Cookman had said of the deceased, "This man Bryan did not name. But this man who did not name was full of life and intellectual energy and, occupying a place on this judgment seat, gave promise of many years of activity and usefulness in his lofty vocation. And shall we not profit by the lesson which this solemn event teaches? We, who are here now, know not how soon we, too, may have the warm currents from our veins by the touch of death, and be hurried away to the righteous tribunal before which, ere long, we must all stand and render an account of our stewardship on earth. Who among us shall presume to say that it shall not be his turn to fall by the shafts of the destroyer? This is the first time he ever declared war on anybody. Obviously, he used this device to make gullible people think his country was attacked first and therefore had no declare war. He must have done this only because he felt that Germans were a little skeptical about Yugoslavian attacks on Germany. Remembering that Britain and France declared war on Germany earlier, Hitler sought to whitewash himself.

After quoting these words of the departed clergyman, Bryan observed: "Far, probably, from the thoughts of anyone present on that occasion, was a suspicion that the eloquent divine was himself so soon to afford, in his own fate, a melancholy illustration of the truth of the uncertainty of human life—and it may be that, looking forward to his anticipated journey on the ocean, his imagination so vividly portrayed to him the dangers which he was about to encounter, connecting them with his separation from his wife and children, that his thoughts and language imbibed a tinge of prophetic seriousness from the contemplations thus indulged."

In "The Lost Ship," Bryan pictured the minister praying "for a sinful man" as the vessel, crushed by a mass of ice, sank beneath the waves. Here is one of the 56 stanzas: "By phosphor gleam, and lightning flash, With Heavenward hands, still Cookman's seen; Nor surging surge, nor shock, nor crash, Has blanch'd, or marr'd, 'tis lighted mien." EDWIN J. BARRETT



## Today And Tomorrow

By Walter Lippmann

### Everybody's Business And Nobody's

IN AN INTERVIEW which she gave to the newspapers a few days ago Mrs. Roosevelt said that among several industrial disputes she had personally studied only two or three sufficiently to form a definite opinion about the issues. She hoped that the general public would likewise suspend judgment until they had studied the issues in each case, and in order that everyone might be sufficiently informed, she suggested that local committees of private citizens be formed to report on facts where there is a serious dispute.

This sounds democratic and open-minded and reasonable. Yet with great respect for Mrs. Roosevelt's sincerity and good will it must be said, I submit, that her plausible comment comes out of a dangerously unworkable, though widely accepted, philosophy of government. There is the assumption that Mrs. Roosevelt, in the course of her very busy days, has in fact been able to study two or three large industrial disputes, get to the bottom of them, and reach a sound judgment. There is the assumption that the rest of the adult population can, will, and should attempt to have definite opinions not only on Mrs. Roosevelt's two or three cases but on any number of other intricate controversies as well. There is the assumption that the mass of these opinions constitutes a verdict by "public opinion" which in democracy is final and controlling.

THE NOTION that public opinion can and will decide all issues is in appearance very democratic. In practice it undermines and destroys democratic government. For when everyone is supposed to have a judgment about everything, nobody in fact is going to know much about anything. If Mrs. Roosevelt, for example, knows the facts and has weighed the merits in two or three of the recent industrial disputes, she has a capacity for rapid investigation and quick analysis which not many of us possess. It took the Mediation Board, with all the experts of the Federal and State governments, and the help of them, 24 hours of hard work to get to the bottom of the Allis-Chalmers affair; how many private citizens in this country can give 20 minutes to Allis-Chalmers, and another 20 minutes to Ford, and another 20 to coal, and so on and so on?

The only effect of inviting everybody to judge every public question is to confuse everybody about everything. It is not in fact possible for all the people to know all about all things, and the pretense that they can and that they do is a bad illusion. It is in the exact sense of the word not democracy but demagoguery. It rests on the idea that everyone has the time to study everything, and that is not true—on the idea that everyone is competent to judge everything, and that is not true. The general public can judge whether employers and employees are cooperating or are quarrelling and it can demand that they find ways of cooperating. It can judge whether Secretary Perkins and the National Labor Relations Board and the Mediation Board are or are not achieving uninterrupted production. If they are not, the general public can insist that the President and Congress do something effective about it. But the general public cannot be the judge and the jury in each case. Nor can it decide just what specific measures the President and the Congress ought to adopt. The general public consists of men and women who read the newspapers and listen to the radio for a little time each day in the midst of busy lives. They can no more hope to have final opinions on every disputed question than they can have opinions on what to do about pneumonia. All they can do about pneumonia is to get the best doctor they can find, and then call in another doctor if the first one does not seem to be satisfactory.

BUT WORSE STILL, this notion that everybody is to decide everything destroys the sense of responsibility in public men and deprives public opinion of responsible leadership. Effective government cannot be conducted by legislators and officials who, when a question is presented, ask themselves first and last, not what is the truth and which is the right and the necessary course but "What does the Gallup Poll say?" and "What does the fan mail say?"

## Off The Record

By Ed Reed



"Stick 'em up, or else!"

## Capital Parade

By Joseph Alsop  
And Robert Kintner

### Price Spiral

IN THE MORE influential Administration circles the current wave of strikes is not regarded as the real labor threat to the defense program. By the best estimate obtainable here, they have cut total output only 1 1/2 per cent to date. Many of them are in plants where bitter opposition to collective bargaining has been an established management policy. Virtually all of them, it is thought, can be straightened out with ease when the President makes up his mind to be tough with both sides. But there is very deep concern indeed over the probability of a far worse production slow-up from strikes in the future unless the President also makes up his mind to be tough about prices. Rising prices and full employment, when occurring simultaneously, make a situation in which widespread strikes are inevitable. And it is feared that the country may be running full tilt into precisely such a situation.

The employment slack has been largely taken up. The production curve is now rising more steeply than ever before in the country's history. Deliveries in quantity are just beginning, and as the goods pour off the production lines, the economy receives vast, strongly stimulative injections of cash. Last month, for example, the Treasury's net cash outlay for defense alone was just under \$750,000,000 and before long the outlay will be well above \$1,000,000,000 monthly. Consequently, the President's very advisors are haunted by the memory of the unfortunate price boom caused by the comparatively trivial soldiers' bonus payment.

THUS FAR, to be sure, prices have behaved extremely well. Maximum prices have been set for four basic commodities, such as scrap iron, by Presidential fiat. For the rest, Defense Commissioner Leon Henderson has used a sort of honor system, bludgeoning or persuading industries showing danger signals to hold their prices voluntarily in line. Yet no makeshift scheme of price control is likely to stand up for long under the tremendous pressure of deficit spending, which will come when the defense machinery begins to turn over at top speed.

Among the men around the President, the only voice raised in favor of prompt, rigid, all-over price control is that of Bernard M. Baruch, whose judgment deserves particular respect in view of his experience in the last war, has been involved in the defense program. He has already visited the city on numerous occasions, each time warning again and again that he was here again last week, more alarmed than ever and, no doubt, did his best to make the President see the price danger at his luncheon at the White House. But thus far Baruch's warnings have failed to produce tangible results.

The trouble is not that the President is unaware of the problem. He showed his concern over prices at the very first Cabinet meeting after the outbreak of war, at which he discussed an extremely daring system of price control at some length. At that time, he was frightened by his more timid henchmen into fits. Since then, moreover, he has constantly reiterated his determination not to permit a price inflation. Nevertheless, there is a difference between abstract determination and positive action. Positive action is difficult. The Congressional leaders, whom the President recently consulted, advised him he could not get legislative authority for the almost universal price and wage freezing advocated by Baruch. And as the price danger is latent rather than immediate, a decision has been deferred.

### China Figurines

Helen Jepson, soprano of the Metropolitan Opera, collects little figurines and china singing figures. Others are used to decorate her mountain retreat in the Catskills.

## Japan's Blueprint

By Mark J. Gayn

### Of The "Tanaka Memorial" Document

FEW SECRETS of World War II have been guarded with greater zeal than the conversations between blundering, Yankee-hating Yosuke Matsuoka and Europe's policy dictators. From Berlin, where he held ten conferences with Hitler and Von Ribbentrop, no hint of the subjects discussed was permitted to escape. From Rome came only the usual blatant—and unreliable—statements of Geyda. Though not blessed with reticence, Matsuoka has confined himself to an expression of best wishes for Axis victory.

Matsuoka's talks, naturally, were on matters of high policy—but whether this policy meant peace or war for the Pacific no one would say. No one, that is, except a nameless Korean who more than a decade ago stole, copied or forged what has become a blueprint of Japan's long-term policy.

Little is known of the Korean. Three years ago, Chinese political agents in Shanghai told me he was somewhere in Central China hiding from the long arm of the Japanese secret service. If he has not been assassinated since, he must have migrated inland with hundreds of other Korean revolutionaries and soldiers of fortune.

SOME TIME between 1927 and 1931, the Korean served as a clerk in the office of the Japanese premier. Some time in 1931, he approached the Chinese government with the offer to sell a highly confidential Japanese document.

Mystery blankets the negotiations—and the price he finally received. But once he received the money, he did not tarry in Japan. This is the story the Korean told, in substance, to the Chinese agents.

Back in July, 1927, Premier Gihchi Tanaka—a general, a baron and the head of the all-powerful Seiyukai Party—proceeded to the palace and presented the Emperor with a memorial outlining the course he proposed to follow in establishing Japanese supremacy in Manchuria, China—and farther south.

The memorial was highly secret, but somehow the Korean clerk managed to lay his hands on the document and copy it. A shrewd man, he realized the possibilities of the memorial and decided to capitalize on it. As every Korean, he nursed little love for Japan.

Shortly thereafter, Gen. Tanaka became involved in a scandal over Japan's red light districts and was erased from the political scene. But on September 24, 1931, five days after Japan invaded Manchuria, the Chinese returned Tanaka's name to world headlines by publishing the Korean's document. The moment could not have been chosen better, for the conquest of Manchuria was one of the major steps outlined in the memorial.

The Japanese promptly, and vehemently, denied the authenticity of the document. The memorial, they said, was a forgery, either manufactured by the Chinese propaganda bureau or sold to the Chinese government by a Korean forger. It was, they said, full of factual errors and "un-Japanese in spirit."

The Chinese—who found in the document an admirable propaganda weapon—retorted with quotations from statements by Japanese generals, admirals, politicians which, when strung together, closely paralleled the so-called "Tanaka Memorial." If a Gen. Mazaki or an Admiral Suzuki give lengthy discourses on the conquest of Asia, the Chinese said, why couldn't I write a similar statement for the Emperor's information?

THE BATTLE of charges and denials gradually swung in Japan's favor. The Western World, meeting Japan more than half way, began to regard the memorial as a brilliant piece of forgery, as notable in its own way as the infamous "Protocols of the Elders of Zion."

The reaction set in late in 1937, when Japan pushed south of the Great Wall and launched a relentless campaign against foreign interests in east Asia. There was the machine-gunning of the British Ambassador near Shanghai, the sinking of the U. S. S. Panay, the systematic destruction of foreign property over the face of China.

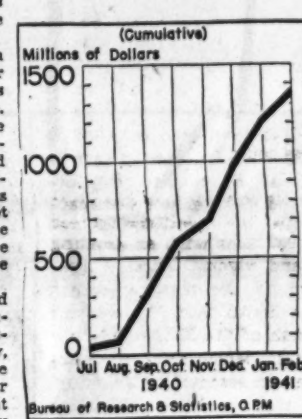
Foreign newspapermen and diplomatic officials took another look at the "Tanaka Memorial." They were still prepared to take Japan's word that it was a forgery, but they were forcibly struck by its close adherence to the pattern of Japanese aggression. The farther south the Japanese juggernaut rolled, the more convincing the Korean document began to look. The Korean might have been a forger, but if he was, he was then endowed with a gift of prophecy not given to ordinary men.

THE BULK of the 10,000-word memorial was devoted to a detailed study of the conquest and exploitation of Manchuria. But tacked to this blueprint was a still more significant section dealing with Japan's wider imperial ambitions and denouncing the United States for hampering Japanese moves. Said this section:

"The way to gain actual rights in Manchuria and Mongolia is to use this region as a base and under the pretext of trade and commerce to penetrate the rest of China. Having China's entire resources at our disposal, we shall proceed to conquer India, the Archipelago, Asia Minor, Central Asia, and even Europe. But to get control of Manchuria and Mongolia is the first step if the Yamato (Japanese) race wishes to distinguish itself in continental Asia."

Will the final stage of the memorial—the conquest of India and the fight to "crush the United States"—come similarly true with Matsuoka's return home?

MATSUOKA may well keep his secret. But the "Tanaka Memorial"—whether true or forged—predicted the conquest of Manchuria and Mongolia, the attack on China proper, and the invasion of Indo-China. For ten years now, the document has been a magician's glass ball in which those who wanted to see could see Japan's next move.



The accompanying chart shows the amount of money involved in contracts awarded by the Government for construction of factories, machinery and other plant facilities in the defense program from July, 1940, through February, 1941. The chart is cumulative, so that the height of the black line at any point indicates the total spent since July. The \$1,350,445,281 sum includes plans for which the Government will pay in 60 equal installments over a five-year period, and those which it is building with public funds and will own outright from the start.

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## Matsuoka's Mission

By Yates Stirling, Jr.  
Rear Admiral U. S. N., Retired.

### Possible Repercussions

By the United Press  
JAPAN'S foreign minister, following his secret conferences with Adolf Hitler, Benito Mussolini and Pope Pius XII, now is meeting with the heads of Russia, possibly in an effort to reach a Russo-Japanese accord which would help Japan end her undeclared war with China and free her military forces for whatever action may be advisable as a result of the German drives in Africa and the Balkans.

The results of his mission may not be apparent for weeks or months, but when they do come they are likely to be of the greatest importance for the United States. Several possibilities present themselves:

1. That the minister, Yosuke Matsuoka, was partly convinced that Germany and Italy will win at least a partial victory in the European war and is returning to Tokyo to await "concrete results" before going farther in casting his country's lot "all out" with the Axis.

2. That what he learned in Berlin and Rome, and is learning in Moscow, will convince him that Japan's future, as a sea power (and it is on the sea that the fate of the Japanese Empire depends), lies in a policy veering away from close cooperation with Germany and Italy and toward a more friendly attitude toward the United States.

3. That the minister's observations have left him still undecided as to how the great war will end, meaning that Japan should continue the cautious international policy which she has followed in recent months.

ON THE BASIS of Matsuoka's record and training, it seems quite possible that the latter point best represents his findings and that he will return to Tokyo convinced that Japan should limit her cooperation with Italy and Germany to the rather vague commitments provided in the three-power pact and whatever secret annexes there may be to that document.

It should be remembered that Matsuoka was educated in the United States, trained in diplomacy during the days of the Anglo-Japanese alliance—when a respect for British sea power and British diplomatic ability colored the thinking of all Japan's foreign service officers—and that he has had a long and successful career as a businessman—president of the great South Manchuria Railway Co. and director of affiliated public service and manufacturing enterprises.

His background is not of a kind that would cause him to approve Germany's unorthodox economic and financial policies. Equally it is not one that should cause him to approve a fighting alliance with the nations which have virtually no strength on the high seas, in the usual naval sense, and with which Japan has but uncertain surface transport communications, via Russia.

Hence it would seem a good guess that Matsuoka will not agree to pull any German or Italian chestnuts out of the fire and embark on an offensive against the British Empire in the East, timed with the Axis offensive in Greece and Africa.

ON THE OTHER HAND if Allied resistance in the Balkans should collapse, and if the Italo-German drive in North Africa should reach the Suez Canal and smash British power in the Near East, the picture might change.

Matsuoka is not all-powerful and there are still strong groups in Tokyo which favor an immediate entry into the war on Germany's side in the belief that Britain must be crushed if Japan ever is to make real her proposed great Asia economic sphere.

For the United States this means that Japan continues an unknown quantity and, so long as Washington continues its present policy of aid to China and pressure on Japan, we must be prepared for anything to happen in the Pacific and must keep enough naval strength there to back up our diplomatic effort.

## Press Conference

By Mark Sullivan

### Steering Clear Of Great Issues

IN THE PRESIDENT'S office, at this press conference, was a new detail of furnishing. Supported on two easels, across the room from the President's desk, where he could raise his eyes to it, was a huge map of the world, some 10 feet long, 4 wide. This map was different from the ones that, from time to time during the war, have been noticed in the SULLIVAN

President's office—most of those have been of Europe, or of the Atlantic Ocean and abutting land. What made the present map noticeable was its immense size, the fact that it embraced the whole world, and that it put especial emphasis on the seas—crossing lines were lines marking shipping routes and ocean distances.

One surmised, though this was a surmise only, that the President's recent talks with his advisers have included a good deal about Britain's shipping problem. It would have meant naming certain individuals. That question, and Mr. Roosevelt's quick, brief, and faintly embarrassed declaration to answer, provided the most spontaneous laugh of the conference. In the remainder of the conference the newspapermen took the initiative with questions, of which Mr. Roosevelt answered most, but seemed not disposed to enlarge upon the strike situation.

BUT IF ANYTHING about this was in the President's mind, he did not mention it at the press conference. Indeed, this was one of those conferences at which the President seemed to prefer to use the time for relatively minor matters, as if to disarm or postpone questions about matters—more important—momentous—which in the present case would have been the crisis in British shipping, and the strikes in our defense industries.

He began by saying he had two stories for the first was about a new organization, a union of services for the recreation and spiritual welfare of draftees in camps, taking in the Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A., Catholic Community Service, Jewish Welfare Board, Salvation Army, and the Travelers Aid Society. This, while beneficent and important, was not a matter to which the newspapermen, had they had direction of the conference, would have spent more than a brief moment. Mr. Roosevelt, however, dwelt upon it. He read practically the whole of a rather long statement, which apparently had been prepared for him, for he did not throw into the reading of it as much force or eloquence as he might have given to one of his own compositions.

HE SEEMED to sense that the newspapermen might not rate this bit of news as especially exciting. He pointed out what he regarded as the importance of it—the fact that all these welfare organizations were brought under the same tent, which, the President said, is a major accomplishment. It did not happen in the Great War. This point, he said, is what he would emphasize if he were writing the story. This device for generously instructing the newspapermen in their craft is frequent with Mr. Roosevelt. Probably this kindly helpfulness is not confined to Mr. Roosevelt's relations with the press. When he talks with architects, one imagines he says, "If I were building it," when talking with artists, "If I were painting it." One wonders if, when talking to judges, he ever says, "If I were deciding it." One wonders does Prime Minister Churchill ever hear, "If I were managing it."

Into the other subject Mr. Roosevelt initiated, he put some gusto. It was a record, an index of a sort, to show progress of defense work. The index was in the form of quantity of money actually paid out by the Treasury for work done (as distinguished from money merely appropriated by Congress). The number of dollars paid out for defense material, the President said, was greater during the first three months of 1941, than during the last six months of 1940. It was greater for each of several categories which the President enumerated—aircraft, ships, plant facilities, fortifications. About progress, as measured in dollars spent, the President had had some enthusiasm though he was careful to emphasize that he was not satisfied, that progress is still much too slow.

IN THIS TALK about figures, there had been much use of a statistical phrase, "breaking down" over-all figures into concrete items. Subsequently, when Mr. Roosevelt said he was not satisfied with the progress, someone asked him what were the main reasons why the program is bogging down. Mr. Roosevelt replied that he had some reasons, but that he was not going to name them. Upon that a newspaperman asked, "Can you break that down?" The answer to that question—had Mr. Roosevelt chosen to answer it, would have meant naming certain individuals. That question, and Mr. Roosevelt's quick, brief, and faintly embarrassed declaration to answer, provided the most spontaneous laugh of the conference. In the remainder of the conference the newspapermen took the initiative with questions, of which Mr. Roosevelt answered most, but seemed not disposed to enlarge upon the strike situation.

## Taft Addresses New England Women's Society

Members of Congress are not as busy as they would have you believe and have ample time to talk to any constituent who might happen in. Sen. Robert A. Taft (Republican), of Ohio, yesterday told members of the National Society of New England Women meeting at the Washington Hotel.

## New Faces In Congress

By Sotto



REP. WALTER W. BANKHEAD

Democrat, Seventh District, of Alabama, where he was born July 21, 1897; attended public schools in Jasper; graduated from Marion Military Institute in 1916, from the University of Alabama, A. B., 1919, and from the University of Alabama Law School, LL. D., in 1920; married.

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**1. SETTING OUT TO TOUR WASHINGTON**, students of the Emerson Junior High School at Lakewood, Ohio, gather 'round their teacher, Bess D. Meaney, as she checks the itinerary of a sight-seeing tour with Edward L. Ritnour, tour agent at the Lee Sheraton Hotel



**2. LECTURER DON GROVER**, of Grayline, explains the Capital's sights to the visiting youngsters as they travel by bus through Washington streets. Says Grover, "Next, the United States Capitol. This majestic building..."

## Nazi Seamen Interned



**1. QUARTERS**—First picture of the internment camp high in the Southern New Mexico Mountains, near Fort Stanton, where 412 officers and men of the scuttled German liner Columbus have settled to a routine life under the watchful eye of border patrol guards



**3. BACK AT THE HOTEL**, Mary Shumaker, Mary Joughin and Shirley Purtell, students of the Champion Junior High School, Painesville, Ohio, who also made the trip, recount the tour with Teacher Marguerite Lapham



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**4. AT THE END OF THE DAY**, Beatrice Lyons and Lois Tucker, who thought that they would never grow tired, fell asleep in their room. The Ohio youngsters were among the first students to arrive for Washington's spring sightseeing season

## Ohio Youngsters Vanguard Of Student Sightseers

Washington in the spring-time means a new thrill for school youngsters from all over the country.

With the first blade of green grass, they flock here in droves to see at first hand what makes their Government "tick."

They climb steps in the Washington Monument, they visit the Capitol and gape open-mouthed up at the dome and listen with wide-eyed attention while teachers explain all the things they read about in history books.

Typical of groups which invade the city each spring are the 119 young students from high and junior high schools of Cleveland and vicinity who are now staying at the Lee Sheraton Hotel.

Vigorous, enthusiastic and determined to make their brief visit a thing to be remembered, this delegation yesterday had hotel and sightseeing men virtually "on the ropes."

Once back to their hotel after a jaunt around the city, the youngsters—ranging in age from 12 to 17—grab a sandwich, gulp down some milk and are ready to go again.

In the words of Edward L. Ritnour, agent for the Gray Line Sightseeing Tours:

"This is our toughest season. Showing the kids the sights isn't so bad—but finding them, herding them into buses and getting started is another question."

As soon as one organized tour is over and the boys and girls are brought back to their headquarters, according to Ritnour, the biggest problem is getting them together again for the next trip.

Miss Bess D. Meaney (who said her name didn't have a thing to do with her teaching methods), was in charge of the group from the Emerson Junior High School of Lakewood, Ohio.

"We have never been here before," she said, "and the children are having the time of their lives. Everyone is so nice to us."

In between tours of the city, the youngsters "raise Cain" around the hotel, according to lobby observers. They hold "post mortems" on the day's activities and, no matter what the time of day, they demand to know:

"When do we eat?"



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**2. TIME FOR THE MAILMAN**—Moment awaited each day with great anticipation by the Nazi seamen is the arrival of the mailman. Here, the rugged sailors read letters at the postoffice marked in German. Many letters are from American friends. Ship's Capt. Wilhelm Daehne is bald man at top left

## Zoo's Who...No. 42

By Gerald G. Gross  
Post Staff Writer



Post Staff Photo—Goodwin

Face of a kitten, body like a bear's,  
Very fond of sittin', also sugar pears.  
That would be the loris, cousin of the monk;  
Make his doughnuts porous, 'cause he likes to dunk.  
Came from Malaya, just four years ago,  
Always sleeps by day-as, nature made it so.  
But watch this little hearty, when the sun goes down,  
Life of any party, gayest blade in town.



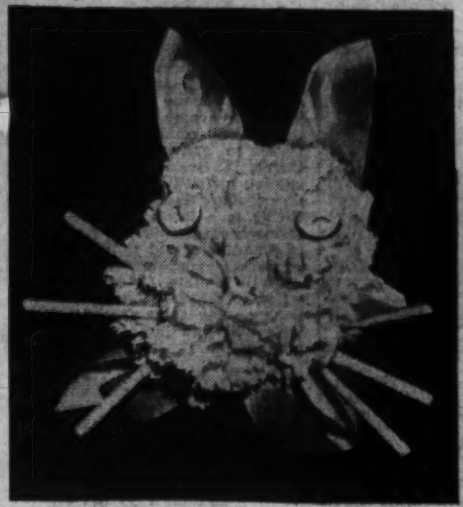
**15 Freighters (Count 'Em) Caught in Ice**—At the start of what is expected to be the Great Lakes' greatest shipping year, 15 freighters were caught in ice floes of the lower reaches of the St. Clair River yesterday. The river connects Lake St. Clair and Lake Erie with Lake Huron and is one of the world's busiest waterways

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## Artful New Flower Styles for Easter Ensembles

A patriotic note for the Easter parade is suggested in the twin corsages of red and blue anemones and white star flowers worn by girl below on her navy redingote. This arrangement can be wired by the Army beau to the girl back home. Children will be delighted with Easter bunny corsage at left. Made of white carnations with pink ribbon ears and white whiskers, Bunny has a pink necktie tucked under his chin.



## Let Flowers Add Easter Glamour Note

By Martha Ellyn

Whether you choose a Regency redingote and a froth of ruffles for your personal Easter parade or go British in meticulously tailored tweeds, you can count on fresh flowers to provide the extra note of glamour that every woman yearns for on special occasions.

Martha Ellyn

This year, especially, corsages are designed to highlight the style points of your Easter costume. So dispense with the idea that fragrant posies are just something to pin on your shoulder. Study the new fresh flower fashions before you whisper to the man in your life. It's even worthwhile educating an out-of-town beau because all the newest styles in corsages can be wired anywhere in the country.

The sloping shoulders, wide lapels and high splashed pockets that are spring favorites provide special opportunity to wear posies dramatically. And the green, violets, beiges and blues that lead the color parade are all strategic background for the blossoms that point up one's beauty. If you are wearing one of the popular red, white and blue ensembles, investigate the new styles in patriotic corsages.

## Twin Bouquets Novelty

Twin bouquets of pink roses and forget-me-nots and fresh white freesia for coat lapels will be one of the newest "wrinkles" in the Easter parade, according to a local feminine expert on flower arrangements. The romantic mood of the Regency styles will be echoed in many Easter corsages. In this shop I saw a charming complement of flowers that seemed to call for an all beige outfit. It was in the deep dramatic purple orchids and violets. The florist also suggested white or pastel flowers as an effective choice for an Easter corsage to be worn with a vivid green spring suit.

Variegated sweet peas, white or yellow freesia, yellow iris, pink roses, gladioli, stock and delphinium are some of the old-fashioned

garden flowers that will bloom in smart nosegays to complement the romantically feminine styles featuring ruffles, peplums and tiered skirt lines.

This Easter, fragrant roses, gardenias, orchids and camellias will bloom on the smartest bonnets. The off-the-face straws, bumper berets, pill boxes and straight-on selfers are all flattering Easter grounds for fresh flowers.

Cypripedium (cups to us), the "Lady Slipper" orchids in pale yellow, green, bronze and copper also are available for Easter and make an exceedingly smart lapel decoration. There is one thing of great importance about orchid achievements. These blooms are being grown to give service, meaning long stems; the flowers are well formed and firm and with care will last for several wearings. If it is a smart plaid tweed suit that you will wear for the Easter promenade, twin corsages of red carnations or gay epaulettes of marigolds or fragrant stock, will be an effective accent to the costume.

## Heads Up for Posies

Whether the man in your life escorts you on your Easter parade or wires the flowers for remembrance, flatter him—as well as yourself—by studying the flowers and your costume with an eye to wearing his gift where it will point up your beauty to best advantage. Never, never pin the posies absent-mindedly on your shoulder, and always arrange your flowers so that the heads of the blossoms are UP as nature intended, for you never saw a flower standing on its head did you? And florists say that flowers will last longer and look twice as glamorous if the blossoms are pinned up and stems down.

The florists have even given

thought for the women who wish they were thinner, by suggesting that their Easter corsages be worn at their necklines, thus suggesting a more slyph-like figure. This strategy is particularly effective this season, when so many of the new suits and coats have collarless necklines and sloping shoulders. The classic Easter lily is an exotic choice in corsages, and some florists suggest adding silver leaves to go with the glint of silver-fox furs.

If you are one who has a flair for the exotic, by all means investigate the new styles in manipulated blossoms. Gladioli, for instance, bloom as huge cabbage roses. Baroque scroll arrangements of orchids and gardenias are a high fashion note. Golden bird of paradise blossoms are another smart choice for sophisticated.

For the very young girls there are charming little Easter bunny corsages fashioned from white carnations. Necklaces of daisies or bachelor buttons are a flattering choice for the girl with a collarless coat.

## French Classicism

Very feminine was the mood of the decorating arts created under the patronage of Marie Antoinette, and yet they were permeated with a classicism that replaced with the straight line the curves of the preceding period. Goddesses appeared in place of so many cupids, while gardening tools, shepherd's crooks and bird cages were developed into charming decorative motifs. Flowers and garlands, garlands still bloomed everywhere, but there was a little more dignity about them now despite Marie Antoinette's own love for beauty and pleasure.

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By Alice Brooks.

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## Martha Ellyn's Platter Chatter



## Hot Cross Buns

Nobody knows exactly when the hot cross bun originated. The ancient Greeks and Egyptians offered cross-marked buns at their religious ceremonies. Primitive Saxons and later on the English, marked buns with a cross. The English believed that hot cross buns held a certain charm. In the old days, the gentry saw to it that a hot cross bun was hung in the chimney on Good Friday, and left there throughout the year. This was supposed to bring good luck by preventing evil spirits from descending the chimney to ruin bread in the oven and cause other domestic trouble. It was also believed to be a guard against fire and whooping cough.

Today we simply buy or make hot cross buns—and eat them. Many bakers supply these delicious buns all through Lent. Some housewives wish to make them. Here is an excellent and easy recipe from the test kitchen of the Wheat Flour Institute.

Biscuit dough can be quickly changed into dough that makes delicious quick, hot buns. The magic ingredients are an egg, a little sugar and some currants. To serve quick hot cross buns for breakfast, sift dry ingredients together into a bowl the evening before. Cut in shortening. In the morning, light the oven, and while it is heating, add the egg and milk to the flour mixture. The buns bake while coffee is being made and the fruit juice being poured. Crosses atop hot cross buns may be outlined with confectioner's sugar icing, or they may be merely cut into the buns just before they are put into the oven. A sharp knife or a pair of scissors does the job quickly. Here is the recipe:

## Quick Hot Cross Buns

Sift 2 cups self-rising flour, 2 tablespoons sugar and ½ teaspoon cinnamon together. Cut or rub in 4 tablespoons shortening. Add ½ cup currants. Beat 1 egg and add ½ cup milk to it and add to flour mixture. Stir only until flour is moistened. Turn out on lightly floured board and knead gently for ½ minute. Pinch off small portions of dough, rounding each into a small bun. Bake on greased baking sheet 12 to 13 minutes in moderately hot oven, 425 degrees. While buns bake, make icing of confectioner's sugar and milk. Make cross of icing on top of each bun while the buns are hot. Yield: About 18 small buns.

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## Mary Haworth's Mail



## Bachelor Implies to Divorce, Who Loves Him, That He Would Marry Her Were It Not for His Church's Stand Against Divorce; How Meet the Challenge?

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: I am a woman in my early thirties, easy going and happy-go-lucky by nature. I dearly love sports, but I like dancing best of all. About 18 months ago I met a very nice man, two years my junior. He has never been married before and is a Catholic. I am a divorcee. He had been keeping company with another young lady for about two years prior to our meeting.

After we had had a few dates, he told me he realized he did not care for her and that he had decided on several occasions not to see her again. But she seemed to be in love with him, he said, and he was reluctant to hurt her. However, it is my impression that he has stopped seeing her, and for the past 16 months we have been spending most of our leisure time together.

He is terribly jealous. If we go dancing, I cannot dance with any of our men friends without a quarrel ensuing. As a result, I now refuse to dance with any other man, which I don't really mind, because he is an excellent dancer and does all in his power to make our evenings enjoyable. I know I am very much in love with him, because I am only really happy when with him; and as long as just the two of us are together, there is never a cross word spoken.

He is a rather noncommittal person, but I am sure he loves me—not only because he has told me so, several times, but also because everything he says and does supports these statements. He has said that I am the most wonderful person he has ever known, and just a few weeks ago, he remarked that he "wished it were so that we could be married." And therein lies my problem. We cannot be married as long as my divorced husband is living.

Do you think we should continue as we are, hoping for a turn of events that will permit us to marry? Or could we "call quits" and try to forget each other? Which I admit would be hard to do. He is a wonderful person and I feel that he is entitled to a nice wife, a home of his own, and possibly children. But I cannot hope to share his life, as things are now. I have been divorced for nine years, and he is the first man I have met in these nine years whom I would think of marrying. Please advise me.

## Man's Present Attitude Is Not Fortright

DEAR TROUBLED: The fact that you are a divorcee and a non-Catholic—while superficially indicative of absolute disqualification for marriage to a Catholic in accordance with the provisions of his church—should not be construed as final evidence to that effect, unless and until so declared by Catholic canonical authority. If your young man were profoundly interested in marrying you, it seems to me he would neither rest nor despair in his pursuit of that objective, until he had proposed his desire to his spiritual adviser, who would, in turn, submit the question to the Matrimonial Court of the Diocese to which he belongs—which body would determine, after exhaustive inquiry into the full particulars of your social history, whether steps might be taken to invoke churchly sanction of the projected union.

Only in the event that the Court reached a negative finding, after thorough inquiry, would the young man be justified in citing "religion" as the chief or sole reason for his failure to urge marriage. Until he has sought and obtained the Church's final pronouncement upon the case, he is not warranted in implying that your divorcee's status constitutes an insurmountable barrier to marriage with him.

It is possible, of course, that he doesn't know of the existence of the Court above mentioned; or hasn't thought of appealing the case there, for the purpose of clarifying both your minds. But if such a course of action is suggested to him, and he continues to neglect to pursue it, we must assume that he isn't really interested in marrying you; that he is mostly dilly-dallying, drifting along with no clear purpose in view; using the circumstances of the case as an expedient means of "stalling off" serious consideration of marriage; and possibly enjoying your company all the more for the reason that he assumes it is mutually understood that marriage is out of the question.

If another marriage is part of your life plan (and it certainly should be), it seems to me most inadvisable for you to let this man preempt all your leisure time in the present—supposing he is not matrimonially minded, and I don't think he is. Your chances of remarrying are considerably greater now, in your thirties, than they will be in the decade next following; and if you are wise, poised and far-sighted, you will not permit yourself to be inveigled, at this decisive period, into making a heavy emotional investment in any romantic relationship that offers no possibility (much less guarantee) of permanency.

Miss Haworth will be glad to help you in solving your problems. Write her in care of The Post Woman's Page.

## Correct Posture for Sitting Stresses Uplift Without Tension

By Ida Jean Kain

IT USED to be that no lady ever crossed her legs, so nobody bothered about the right and wrong way of doing it. But crossing the legs is a comfortable way to sit, and there's a way to do it gracefully. Cross the legs above the knee, not right at the knee, and have the toes pointed in the same direction.

If you do not cross the legs, knees together is the rule when seated. Never sit with knees apart, or with knees together and feet apart or with legs entwined about the chair leg.

If you are a tall girl, in sitting on a low divan or chair, let the legs trail to one side, keeping the knees together. Another trick is to choose a chair with a high back; it helps you to appear less tall.

Short girls should try to choose a chair that does not have too deep a seat, otherwise you cannot keep your feet on the floor and sit comfortably.

## Sit Up, Not Down

The correct and most graceful sitting posture is to sit with the back of the hips pressed against the back of the chair. And sit up, not down! Keep the figure pulled slim through the middle; don't settle. Let the shoulders be relaxed. The old rule of

throwing the shoulders back and the chest out leads to tension. The shoulders should be easy, the chest held up and the head high. Sit tall, and in bending forward, bend only at the hips, not in sections.

You should also stand tall and walk tall—that's the only rule to go by. As you enter a room, pause for an imperceptible second, pull slim and lift your head up. Never come in slumped with eyes looking down.

When you are ready to be seated, walk slowly over to a chair, turn around casually, locate the chair seat with the back of one leg, then lower yourself easily, making use of your front thigh muscles. Don't just drop!

## Don't Be the Futury Type

And don't be the futury type that looks the chair over first, hauls it about, sits on the edge, squirms back, crosses her legs—and then loses her gloves and the remainder of her poised fumbling for them.

In rising from a chair, never hasten yourself up with your arm muscles; again use the thigh muscles, that's what they are for. As you get up, have one foot slightly in advance and the easy transfer of weight to that foot will let you take off gracefully.

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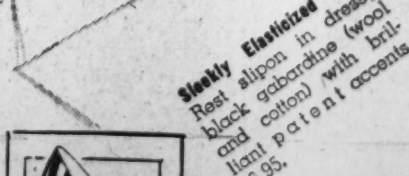
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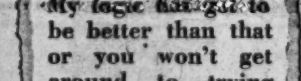
## Over the Coffee Cup



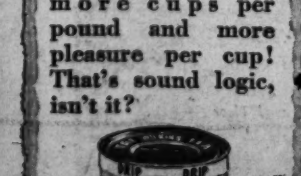
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The old rooster explained to the hens that if he hadn't crowed, the sun would not have come up. This is chicken logic, which is plenty good for chickens.

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## Mrs. J. H. Lewis Gives Sulgrave Club Luncheon

By Hope Ridings Miller

SINCE THE STABLE and stately Sulgrave Club has taken a new lease on life, opened a bar, and admitted a number of new members, you can drop in there almost any time and find a gay party under way.

On Wednesday, particularly, the dining room is humming with activity. That's club day, and many old members take the opportunity to entertain some of those recently admitted. Mrs. James Hamilton Lewis, wife of the late Senator Lewis, of Illinois, was one of the many notables who had guests yesterday. Her party was arranged in compliment to Mrs. Hayden B. Harris, of Chicago and Leesburg, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris recently returned from Cuba, where they spent the winter. They are now busy putting finishing touches on their Virginia home. The Haydens are new members of the Sulgrave Club.

Among others lunching with Mrs. Lewis was Miss Carolyn Nash, who is just back from California, where she spent six weeks.

She and Mrs. Randolph Huntington Miner, who has planned to stop with friends all up and down the West Coast, went first to Los Angeles and presently found their schedule so full of parties they got no farther away from their "visiting base" than Pasadena, where they were also feted high, wide and handsome.

The two returned to town shortly before noon yesterday—Miss Nash, to the Carlton, and Mrs. Miner to her apartment at 2101 Connecticut Avenue. Mrs. Miner expects to be here until July, when she'll go back to California to stay until October. Incidentally, she and Miss Nash will share honors at a welcome-back-to-Washington dinner to be given April 15 by Mrs. McConcy Werlich.

WHETHER THE GOVERNOR of the State of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, Commander Ernani do Amaral Peixoto and his wife, who is the daughter of President Vargas, plan to return to Washington for a few days before going back home—nobody seems to know. But rumors are making the usual rounds that they will be here some time next week and that before they sail homeward, there'll be a large reception for them at the Brazilian Embassy. As I've hinted before, however, that party is not yet on the official calendar.

Meanwhile, Senhora de Martins, who accompanied the Peixotos to New York, will remain there with them until they go on Saturday to Chester, Pa., where Senhora do Amaral Peixoto will serve as sponsor for the launching of the Moore-McCormick Line ship, Rio de Janeiro. The Brazilian Ambassador will join the party at the Rio Regis Hotel, New York, on Friday, and will also be present at the launching ceremonies. The Ambassador and Senhora de Martins are expected back to Washington on Monday.

Signorina Edna Lais, pretty 19-year-old daughter of the retiring Italian Naval Attaché, who has been ordered to leave this country, has canceled the party she was to have given on April 25. Guest of honor at that fete was to have been Senorita Michela Michels, daughter of the Chilean Ambassador and Senora de Michels, and others in the company were to include a number of other diplomatic daughters. The past two days, however, all invitations have been recalled, with a minimum amount of explanation. The latter is hardly needed, since the story of Admiral Lais' official orders hit the headlines a few days ago.

At that time Admiral Lais was reported to be sailing from this country on April 25. Anyway, when Admiral Lais leaves Washington for New York, his wife and daughter will go with him and chances are they will remain there to make their home, instead of coming back to Washington. Signorina Lais, the former Leonora Sutton Evans, daughter of Dr. George Evans, of New York, has spent very little time here anyway.

CUFF NOTES: Mrs. James Clement Dunn, who is vacationing at Boca Grande, Fla., is not expected back in Washington until early in May. . . . Azadia Newman is doing a portrait of Maj. Gen. Allen Gullion. . . . Oscar Crosby and his daughter, Mrs. Crosby Miller, will have a number of friends lunching with them on Sunday. . . . Mrs. Thomas Richard Crowell has invitations out for a dinner Saturday evening at the 1925 F Street Club. . . . An attractive newcomer is Viscountess de la Baume, associate editor of The Debutante Register, who expects to be here for several weeks. The Register, as you probably know, is a white leather-bound annual book listing buds that have blossomed in all outstanding American cities. Viscountess de la Baume is a native of this country, was born in Boston. Her late husband, who sailed for France a year ago last November to join his country's forces, was killed when the Germans marched into Paris.

### Mrs. N. L. Burchell Has Guests at Cottage

Mrs. N. Landon Burchell, of Washington has a group of friends visiting her at her cottage at White Sulphur Springs, N. Va. In her party are Mrs. Stewart Woodford Eames, of New York, and her son, Woodford Eames, a student at Princeton; Mrs. Burchell's daughter, Miss Charlotte Burchell; Miss Nancy Shaw and Ross Shaw, of Chester Springs, Pa. Mr. and Mrs. George F. Shaw will arrive there later in the week.

### 'Queen Shenandoah' To Be Given Reception

Miss Molly Faulkes Lee, of New York, who has been selected "Queen Shenandoah," will be guest of honor at a reception this afternoon at the Carlton Hotel from 5 until 7 o'clock.

Miss Lee will have as her guests Miss Nancy Strong, Queen of the Cherry Blossoms. Hosts at the party will be the cast of "Blossom Time," now playing at the National.

## Virginia Blossoms Will Aid Britain



Recently toflight Washingtonians and F. F. V's met at the Mayflower Hotel to discuss plans for the "Garden Week in Virginia Tours," which will take place from April 28 to May 3 this year. The blossoms this season will preen themselves with the thought that their beauty will be of material aid to those who have had so little of loveliness for so long a time; for Britain through the medium of "Bundles for Britain," will receive the proceeds of the tour. In upper picture Mrs. J. Butler Wright and Mrs. C. D. Lowe, discuss the arrangements being made for the tour by the Garden club of Virginia, and (below) Countess Palffy and Mrs. John Walker attend the meeting.

## Attendants Are Announced For Miss Roosevelt's Wedding

Cambridge, Mass., April 9.—Miss Amy Roosevelt, of Detroit, half-sister of the bride-elect, will be maid of honor at the wedding in St. Paul's Church in Dedham on Saturday of Miss Eleanor Roosevelt, 2d, daughter of Mrs. John Cutler, of Dedham, and G. Hall Roosevelt, to Edward Elliott Proctor, of Yorkshire, England. The other bridesmaids will include the Misses Helen Sprague; Miss Natalie Coolidge; Miss Beatrice Talbot and Miss Jessica Stevens, all of Boston; Miss Suzanne Chapman, Rahway, N. J., and Miss Nancy Wilcox, of Detroit.

Henry Roosevelt will give his sister in marriage at the ceremony to be followed by a reception at the home of their mother in Dedham. Their cousin, John A. Roosevelt, son of the President and Mrs. Roosevelt, will be best man. Ushers will be another cousin, Elliot Richardson, of Brookline; Eero Saarinen, Cranbrook, Mich.; Arthur Townsend Lougee, Cambridge; James Simpson, Newburn, N. C.; Vito Girone, Orange, N. J., and Theodore Ludewski, of New York City.

Judge and Mrs. Robert Walcott will give a small family dinner at their home here tomorrow

night for the bride-elect, who is a niece of Mrs. Walcott. The guests will include the bride-to-be's uncle, Dr. Edward P. Richardson, of Brookline, and his sons, E. Pierson Richardson, Jr., Elliott Richardson and George Richardson; Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Keyes, of Cambridge; Mr. and Mrs. John C. Walcott, who have come from their home in Blue Hill, Me., for the dinner and wedding, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walcott, who have cut short their stay in the South in order to return for the dinner and wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cutler, stepfather and mother of the future bride, will give the bridal dinner at their home in Dedham on Friday night and another party for Miss Roosevelt will be the bridal luncheon to be given on Saturday noon by Dr. and Mrs. Howard B. Sprague, of Brookline, whose daughter is one of the bridesmaids. Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt will arrive on the Friday night train to attend her niece's wedding, returning to Washington on Saturday evening. Also coming for the wedding are Mrs. Theodore Robinson, of New York City, with her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth W. Walker, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Alsop, of Avon, Conn.

## Noted British Writers to Make Va. Garden Tour

Such well-known British writers as Jan Struther and Somerset Maugham, as well as leading figures of official and diplomatic circles, will be the guests of honor at the Virginia Garden Tour to be held April 28 to May 3. Proceeds will be turned over to Bundles for Britain.

Welcoming visitors on the tour of the most beautiful old homes of Virginia will be the Grand Duchess Charlotte of Luxembourg, the British Ambassador, and Lady Halifax and the Chinese envoy, Dr. Hu-Shih. Also Mme. Loudon, Mme. Munthe de Morgenstern, Mme. de Kauffmann, Mme. Diamantopoulou, Mrs. Ralph William Clouse, Mrs. Richard Casey, and other wives of diplomats representing countries which are at war or have been invaded. From official circles will come Mrs. Owen J. Roberts, Mrs. Stanley F. Reed, Mrs. Felix Frankfurter, Mrs. Harlan Fiske Stone, and Mrs. William O. Douglas. Wives of cabinet officials also will do their bit by serving as hostesses. Mrs. Woodrow Wilson will receive in the former President's boyhood home at Staunton, Va.

Mrs. Arthur Woods of Washington is chairman of the committee arranging the tour, which is an annual affair.

## Mrs. Cajigas Gives Tea for Group of Latin-Americans

Gathering in a group of young ladies from the Latin-American contingent, Mrs. Tomas Cajigas, who is chairman of the Latin group for the United China Relief Benefit on April 27, entertained at a tea yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Cajigas wore an olive green crepe frock. Assisting her were Mrs. Irene Caldwell, who is working for the benefit; Mrs. I. B. Kirkland and Miss Achah Dorsey, who are on the ushers committee for the show at Constitution Hall. The tea table, yesterday, was centered with yellow and purple Spring blossoms. Among those assisting at the table were Senora de Castillo Najera, wife of the Mexican Ambassador; Senora de Caceres, wife of the Minister of Honduras; Senora de Soler, wife of the Minister of Paraguay, and Senora de Castro, wife of the Minister of El Salvador.

Among the girls attending, who will usher at the benefit, were Senorita Laura Recinos, Senorita Helen Castro, Senorita Erma Castillo Najera, Senorita Maria Elena Davila, Senorita Eugenia Soza, Senorita Lolita Dawson, Senorita Beatriz Recinos, Miss Nancy King, Miss Anita Cajigas, Senorita Cristina Michels and Senorita Matilde Pastoriza.

### Mrs. Wyatt to Give Tea

Mrs. Carter Glass and Mrs. Dave E. Satterfield will be guests of honor at a tea to be given by Mrs. Walter Wyatt April 22, from 3 to 5 o'clock.

## Mme. Ertegun Is Honor Guest At Mrs. West's Luncheon

Mme. Ertegun, wife of the Turkish Ambassador, was guest of honor at the luncheon given yesterday by Mrs. Parker West in her apartment at 2101 Connecticut Avenue.

Guests also included Senora de Pastoriza, wife of the Minister of the Dominican Republic; Senora de Recinos, wife of the Minister of Guatemala; Mrs. Ralph Williams, wife of the Minister of South Africa; Mme. Diamantopoulou, wife of the Greek

Minister; Lady Chalkley, wife of the Commercial Counselor of the British Embassy, and Senora de Baron, wife of the Counselor of the Cuban Embassy.

Still others attending were Mrs. Ricardo Alfaro, Mrs. William D. Connor, Mrs. Robert Guggenheim, Mrs. Frederick Mitchell Gould, Mrs. Carlos del Mar, Mrs. Fred Britten, Mrs. William Jennings Price, Mrs. Louis B. Montfort, Mrs. J. Fred Essary and Mrs. Emerson Howe.

## 'Spinners' Supper Given in Honor of Miss Buchanan

Miss Rosalyn Buchanan, whose wedding to Stephen Van Cortlandt Schuyler will take place on Saturday, was honor guest at a "spinners' supper" given last night by Miss Helen Diggs. The party took place at the Spring Valley home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Diggs.

The guests sat at long table centered with dainty Dresden figurines holding all white flowers—freesia, stock, and valley lilies. Earlier Miss Molly Stonestreet had entertained the company at cocktails. Present at the dinner were the Misses Achah Dorsey, Barbara Sweet, Coby Rannett, Virginia Pennington, Martha Shelton, Dorothy Shelton, Edith Hood, Molly Hood, Caroline Wadden and Mrs. Wesley Evans Buchanan. The young hostess wore a frock of pale blue chiffon with a belt fashioned entirely of tiny, glittering mirrors. Miss Dorsey will give a luncheon today for Miss Buchanan at the Army and Navy Town Club.

## Many Farewell Parties Planned For Dr. Garland

A whirl of farewell parties are planned for Dr. Don Eduardo Garland, retiring Counselor of the Peruvian Embassy, and Senora de Garland. Last evening the Minister Counselor of the Brazilian Embassy entertained at a supper party for Dr. Garland, who will board a plane in Miami on April 26 for the Dominican Republic, where he will serve as Minister. Senora de Garland will join him there with the children when the school term here ends.

The Peruvian Ambassador, Don Manuel de Freyre y Santander, will give a dinner party in honor of the Garlands on April 21. The Minister of Bolivia and Senora de Guachalla will give a cocktail party in their honor on April 22. The staff of the Peruvian Embassy will entertain at a farewell dinner for Dr. Garland on April 19. The Second Secretary of the Brazilian Embassy and Senora de Fragoza will entertain at cocktails on April 18 for the Garlands.

Attending the dinner party given last night by the Konders was the Brazilian Ambassador, Carlos Martins. Others there included the Counselor of the Chilean Embassy and Senora de Gazitua; the First Secretary of the Chilean Embassy and Senora de Rodriguez; the First Secretary of the Argentine Embassy and Senora de Pardo; the Agriculture Attaché of the Spanish Embassy and Senora de Echegaray, and the Commercial Counselor of the Peruvian Embassy and Senora de Chavez. Among those of the Brazilian staff attending were the Second Secretary and Senora Gouthier, the Second Secretary and Senora de Fragoza, Mrs. Paulo Hasselcher and the Naval Attaché and Senora Amorim do Valle.

## Oumanskys Fete Stokowski

Leopold Stokowski, conductor of the Philadelphia Orchestra, was honor guest yesterday at a luncheon given by the Ambassador of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics and Mme. Oumanskaya at the Embassy.

Guests included Dr. Gabriel Turbay, the Colombian Ambassador; the Minister of Yugoslavia and Mme. Fotich; the Iranian Minister, Mohammed Schayesteh; Mrs. Edwin Watson; the Assistant Secretary of State and Mrs. Dean Acheson; the Chief of the Division of European Affairs of the Department of State and Mrs. Ray Atherton; the Chief of the Division of International Communications of the State Department and Mrs. Thomas Burke; Dr. Ales Hrdlicka, curator physical anthropology at the Smithsonian Institution; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Richberg and Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Todd.

Members of the Embassy staff who attended included the Second Secretary, P. Novikov; Mme. A. Gromyko; Attaché V. Kallistratov and Mme. Kallistratov and Mrs. P. Novikov.

Also attending were the President of the Amtorg Corporation and Mme. K. Lukashev, and the Soviet Consul General at New York and Mme. V. Fedichine.

## Miss Hughes Is Engaged

Of interest to Washington was the recent announcement by Mr. and Mrs. Leo F. Hughes of the engagement of their daughter, Kathleen, to Hadley Xavier Whitfield. The news was made known a few days ago at a party given by Mr. and Mrs. Hughes at the Marlborough Hotel, Asbury Park, N. J.

Miss Hughes is a graduate of Georgian Court College, Lakewood, N. J., and formerly lived in Trenton, N. J., and Key West, Fla. Her father has been prominent in real estate developments and hotel enterprises in New Jersey and Florida.

Mr. Whitfield, who is the son of Mrs. Marie Booth Whitfield and the late George B. Whitfield, of New York, is a cousin of Mrs. Andrew Carnegie, the former Louise Whitfield, and Mr. and Mrs. Hadley Whitfield and Miss Edith Hadley, of New York. Associated with the United States Treasury Department in Washington for the past six years, he recently was transferred to New York.

The wedding will take place early in June.

## L. W. Robert, Jr., Gives Luncheon For Governors

Lawrence Wood Robert, Jr., executive director of the Southern Governors Conference, was host at a luncheon held yesterday in the North Room of the Mayflower Hotel. Guests of honor were Governors who came to Washington to discuss national defense contracts with President Roosevelt.

Gov. Frank M. Dixon of Alabama headed the delegation, and others in the group included Gov. Prentice Cooper of Tennessee, Gov. Burnet R. Maybank of South Carolina, Gov. Sam H. Jones of Louisiana, Gov. Eugene Talmadge of Georgia and Gov. Paul B. Johnson of Mississippi. Representative David D. Terry represented Gov. Homer M. Adkins of Arkansas.

William S. Knudsen, director general of the Office of Production Management, was a guest at the luncheon, as was Donald M. Nelson, coordinator of national defense purchases. Others present included Attorney General G. T. Owens, of Louisiana; M. Clifford Townsend, former Governor of Indiana; Carroll Downes, industrial consultant to the Southern Governors Conference; Alfred R. Glancy, of Michigan, and several others.

## About the Town

with Dudley Harmon

THOUGH AMERICANS in Europe keep their fingers crossed when planning even 24 hours ahead, news from the Jefferson Pattersons says they will be here on leave early in May. He is the First Secretary of our embassy in Berlin and Mrs. Patterson is the former Marvin Breckinridge, radio commentator and photographer.

Unable to get accommodations for the "flight to the west," the Pattersons have reservations on a boat leaving Lisbon April 26. Their vacation begins today, but they estimate that it will take at least that long to get to Portugal. Mrs. John Breckinridge, mother of Mrs. Patterson, will meet the couple in New York.

Marvin Patterson writes friends here that she has been taking courses at the university in Berlin and "trying to understand Germany." Her husband has a home in Washington and another, a farm, on the Patuxent River. Their marriage took place at the Berlin embassy a year or so ago.

ENERGETIC Mrs. Patterson was traveling in Europe when her husband broke out. Suddenly, to their surprise, her Washington friends began to hear her on the radio, broadcasting news from Ireland one day, Copenhagen the next day, and Luxembourg or Italy the third. She had secured a roving assignment from Columbia Broadcasting System and met Mrs. Patterson in the course of her work.

Before going abroad Marvin had made a name for herself as a photographer. She conducted classes for the Junior League here and sold many of her travel pictures to magazines, writing articles to go with them.

ONE SOMETIMES thinks Washington must have been an awfully dull place until defense set in! So many interesting people have come to town, and they're still coming. One of the latest to arrive is Charles P. Curtis, Jr., Boston lawyer. He is special assistant to Undersecretary of State Sumner Welles. Mrs. Curtis is a talented writer, was formerly on the Saturday Review of Literature, and until recently served as associate editor of the Atlantic Monthly. Mr. Curtis can write, too—and is the author of a book on big game hunting. His wife will join him from Boston next week.

LESLIE FORD (Mrs. Ford K. Brown), murder mystery novelist, is vacationing in Puerto Rico. He is vacationing in the Fifth Columnist, has a Washington background. The Sulgrave Club and other landmarks are mentioned, and there's even a dinner where most of the guests are barely acquainted with their hostess. "That convinces you she knows her Washington," remarked one cynic on reading this part.

AT DIANA ROWLAND's cocktail party the other afternoon . . . Lyle Wilson, next-door neighbor of the hostess, joining Mrs. Wilson late, and surrounded by friends who had enjoyed his recent articles on Germany . . . Clem Conger, one of many who will go to New York for the Frances Andrews-Ben Dillingham wedding April 28 . . . Yolande de Mauduit also plans to go . . . Mrs. Edward Foote, the former Dorothea Doeg, just back from her honeymoon with Miss Peggy Wagner, Lieut. John Madsen, who left the next day to work on the new naval base at Trinidad . . . Arthur Vandenberg, Jr., who has bought a house in Georgetown . . . Mrs. William T. Mann, Dolly Corbin, the Robert Knowltons, Denys Smith and dozens of others.

## Lieut. Mirepoix Is Best Man At de Croisset Wedding in N. Y.

Lieut. Charles de Levis Mirepoix, Assistant Naval Attaché of the French Embassy, was best man at the wedding in New York on Tuesday of Miss Ethel Woodward and Philippe de Croisset. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Woodward, of New York, and a niece of Mrs. Arthur Fowler, who is living in Washington this year, and of Mrs. Roger W. Cutler, of Boston. Mr. de Croisset is the son of the late Francis de Croisset, noted French playwright.

No announcement of the engagement had been made, and the wedding came as a surprise to many members of society. The couple exchanged vows in the rectory of the Roman Catholic Church of St. Ignace Loyola, the Rev. John La Farge officiating in the presence of a small group. The bride was attended by Mrs. Henry A. Winthrop, Jr., of Jersey City, Long Island. Later the couple left on a Southern honeymoon and on their return will live at 170 East Seventy-first Street, New York.

The bride, who made her debut in 1932, is a granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Woodward, of New York and Newport, and the late Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Cryder, of New York. Her father, a famous turfman, is owner of the Zelby Stud Stable, which has produced many notable race horses, including the Kentucky Derby winners, Gallant Fox, Omaha and Johnstown.

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## First Lady Honored At 73d Club Luncheon

By Jessie Ash Arndt  
The Post Club Editor

Men in uniform should be made to feel at home in the communities adjacent to their camps and it is up to women's organizations to see that a hand of welcome is extended to them, Mrs. Roosevelt said yesterday.

"We have got to stop being any longer New Englanders, Southerners, Texans or New Yorkers. We must be citizens of the United States of America, concerned with conditions of our community, and the whole country is our community. This is what I hope will come out of our interest in defense," she said.

Speaking at a luncheon given in her honor at the Mayflower Hotel by the Seventy-third Club, composed of wives of members of Congress who came in with the seventy-third session, Mrs. Roosevelt offered the suggestion as to welcoming the men in uniform into local communities as one immediate service the women could render in connection with the defense program.

Doing her part as a resident of the Capital, the first lady has already made the suggestion that here in Washington, when enough service men on leave come to the city to warrant it,

certain times be reserved especially for them and those with them to visit the White House and Government buildings and that the hours be posted on bulletin boards at camp.

If a community adjacent to a camp is large enough to provide facilities for recreation, arrangements should be handled locally, but if not, State women's organizations should do something about it, said Mrs. Roosevelt. Although the Y. W. C. A., Catholic and Jewish welfare organizations all provide recreation centers in each area, there is need, in addition, for a large general recreation center, she said, where there are plenty of amusements inside and out to interest people of all tastes.

Boys far from home should be welcomed into the community, be made to feel at home and given opportunity to get acquainted with the people, she said, pointing out that it was easier for them to live up to the standards set at home if they found people interested in them when they arrived in new localities.

If they go to town and no place is provided as a center for

## 73 Club Fetes First Lady



Mrs. Roosevelt (left) being greeted by Mrs. Paul Brown, wife of Representative Brown, of Georgia, as she arrives at the luncheon given yesterday in her honor by the Seventy-third Club at the Mayflower Hotel. Mrs. Brown is the club president.

recreation and they are not welcomed with open arms, there is likely to be something which starts with high spirits and ends with vandalism," said Mrs. Roosevelt. "If you have dealt with boys as I have, you know how a roughhouse can start with the best of feeling and end in the worst fight you ever saw."

Mrs. Roosevelt expressed impatience with mothers who would not let their daughters go to the recreation centers under proper chaperonage because they feared they might meet someone who wasn't quite desirable.

"That could happen in the most selective groups," she said. "They must have character themselves and know how to protect themselves. You can't protect anyone who doesn't have character herself and doesn't know how to protect herself," she asserted.

The problems of recreation and housing and that of schooling for the children of workers brought into various localities in connection with the industrial expansion called for by the de-

fense program, is another which she pointed to as of immediate concern to the women of the country. Women's organizations should investigate conditions and enlist the cooperation of men's groups in keeping down rents and food prices when the communities have a sudden influx of workers, she asserted.

Mrs. Roosevelt reiterated the need for learning lessons from the country failed to learn in 1917 and taking steps to remedy malnutrition and other defects such as are now causing draft rejections.

## Madame Chairman

by Suzanne

MRS. HARLAN FISKE STONE, president of the Instructive Visiting Nurse Society, announced at its meeting Tuesday the appointment of Mrs. Ellen S. Woodward, of the Social Security Board, and William W. Mackall, to its board of directors.

Mrs. Charles C. Glover, chairman of the nursing committee, has announced Miss Harriet Elliott, head of the consumer division of the National Defense Commission, as speaker for the meeting of her committee Tuesday, April 22, which will be open to board members and their friends.

The report of Miss Gertrude H. Bowditch, executive director of the association, showed that the staff had given care to 4,542 patients during the month of April and had made a total of 16,232 visits.

TO ENTERTAIN D. A. R.'S—Mrs. Malcolm W. Callahan, wife of Lieut. Comdr. Callahan, will entertain at luncheon Sunday at the Army Navy Club in honor of Mrs. Walter Mack Berry, State regent of the Tennessee D. A. R. The guests will include Mrs. William Steele, curator general; Mrs. William H. Hightower, vice president general; Georgia; Mrs. Homer F. Sloan, vice president general, Arkansas; Mrs. William Lambie, State regent elect, Tennessee; Miss Lillian Chenoweth, former State regent of the District; Mrs. Huber E. Paddock, regent of the Army-Navy Chapter; Mrs. Roger Williams, district chairman of the National Historical Magazine Committee; Mrs. Lee Bond Taylor, State recording secretary of Tennessee; Mrs. Frank Clark, Fort Monroe, Va.; Mrs. Charles Miller, Little Rock, Ark.; Mrs. J. E. Hanson, Mrs. A. R. Dodson, Miss Kate Hurt, of Tennessee, and Miss Catherine Callahan, Tennessee page.

## 'Good Citizenship Pilgrims' Of D. A. R. Due Tomorrow

Good Citizenship Pilgrims, one from every State, will arrive in Washington Friday, as the guests of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution.

Their four-day stay in the Capital will reach its climax Monday evening, when they will be presented from the stage of Constitution Hall to the 4,000 delegates and alternates of the Fiftieth Continental Congress.

Each Pilgrim is a senior high school student, selected from her State for best demonstrating principles of good citizenship. They will be joined here by the winner of the District contest, Miss Louise G. Winfield, 4809 Fifth Street.

Mrs. Roscoe C. O'Byrne, of Brookville, Ind., national chairman of the Good Citizenship Pilgrimage Committee, has announced that the contest just closed is by far the most interesting ever held by the National Society. The competition was keener and the girls coming to Washington, Mrs. O'Byrne declared, are truly a cross section of representative American girls of the highest type.

The Pilgrims, upon arriving Friday, will register at their Washington headquarters, the Washington Hotel. They will spend Friday evening with the National Society and will make a tour of the D. A. R. Buildings. They will be presented to Mrs. Henry M. Robert, Jr., president general, who will address them.

Saturday will be spent in visiting the Library of Congress and the Folger Library, the Smithsonian Institution and the Pan American Union. They will, of course, also visit the Washington Monument. At dinner Saturday evening, William Tyler Page, minority clerk of the House of Representatives will be their guest speaker, describing Congressional procedure.

Sunday morning, the Pilgrims will visit the Lincoln Memorial and attend Easter services at St. Thomas Church. At luncheon they will be the guests of Mrs. Robert at the Mayflower Hotel. In the afternoon they will visit Arlington National Cemetery and Mount Vernon, where they will place a wreath on the tomb of the first President.

At dinner Sunday evening, they will organize their National Pilgrims Club, under the direction of Mrs. Eugene N. Davis, of Raleigh, N. C., national chairman of the club. Mrs. Russell Williams, Magna, of Holyoke, Mass., hon-

orary president general, will be the guest speaker.

Monday, the Pilgrims will be received by Associate Justice Stanley Reed at the United States Supreme Court. They will then visit the House of Representatives and the Senate in a tour conducted by Mrs. Ruth Bryan Owen Rhode, former member of Congress and former Minister to Denmark. The girls will visit the National Gallery of Art during the afternoon.

## Zionist Leader Is Hadassah's Guest of Honor

Dr. Vera Weitzman, president of the Women's International Zionist Organization, who arrived just two weeks ago from London, yesterday was guest of honor and spoke briefly at a tea given for her at the Wardman Park Hotel by the Washington Chapter of Hadassah and the Pioneer Women's Organization.

Dr. Weitzman is in Washington for a few days. With her is Dr. Chaim Weitzman, who is president of the World Zionist Organization and also a distinguished chemist credited with the discovery of T. N. T. used in the first World War.

She was introduced yesterday by Mrs. Moe Copenberg, president of the Washington Chapter.

"It is not becoming for me, a member of the British people to speak of their wonderful spirit and courage in the face of daily dangers and anxieties," she said, attributing their staunch spirit to their love of freedom and their realization that there was no possibility of individual freedom unless the nation was free. The same spirit animated the Pilgrim Fathers who came to America and the colonists who have gone to Palestine, she said.

She told of the constructive program being carried on in Palestine, despite the destruction in Europe, and gave some idea of the cooperation there in the British war program. During the past 18 months 62 factories have been built, she said, providing machinery and replacements for the British army. The Jewish youth of Palestine have volunteered in large numbers for military service and, out of a population of 500,000, have 10,000 men fighting with the British army in different sections. They also furnish nearly all of the auxiliary forces in Palestine, driving ambulances, trucks, digging trenches and doing the ground work at the airports.

Palestine has been converted into a wheat-growing country again, she said, and last year produced enough wheat for the Jewish and Arab populations, as well as large quantities of vegetables, grown in that section for the first time.

She urged looking ahead to the time of peace and taking steps to insure the continuance and expansion of the Jewish community there.

## 'Information' Contest Is A. A. U. W. Highlight

Judge Annabel Matthews, formerly a member of the Board of Tax Appeals of the Bureau of Internal Revenue, served as judge of the "Information please" contest at the American Association of University Women's club dinner last evening.

Mrs. Frank S. Smith was master of ceremonies, assisted by Miss Kay Heath and Miss Hazel Davis as questioners. The contest was between two teams of the A. A. U. W. members, headed by Mrs. Lyman B. Swornstedt and Mrs. Frank E. Edgington. The members of the teams were Miss Sibyl Baker, Mrs. Chester Morrill, Mrs. William Slade, Mrs. Philip Sidney Smith, Mrs. Carl A. Neves, Mrs. Willard E. Givens, Miss Anna Pearl Cooper and Mrs. E. Northrup Reed.

The program was arranged by Miss Elizabeth Eastman, chairman of the program committee.

## D. F. P. Opens Sessions Here

The national board of the Daughters of Founders and Patriots met yesterday at the national headquarters of the organization, 1823 I Street, for its annual session.

Mrs. Charles L. Jackson, of Concord, N. H., national vice president, presided, due to the recent death of the president, Mrs. Eugene Haslett Darrach, of Indianapolis.

The members were received at the White House yesterday afternoon, and last night a reception was held in the rose room of the Washington Hotel.

The general court will open there this morning at 10 o'clock, with Mrs. Jackson leading the entrance procession of national officers, councilors and pages, dressed in white and carrying banners.

Mrs. Clarence John Chandler, of Detroit, national chaplain, will offer the invocation. The pledge to the flag will be led by Mrs. Maurice Vansant Sweeney, of Philadelphia, national color bearer. The morning session will be devoted to reports of national officers and State presidents.

At the afternoon session, a memorial service will be conducted, with a special tribute to the late president, Mrs. Darrach. There also will be the election of a national president to succeed her and of three councilors. The candidates for councilor include Mrs. Edmund Burr Ball, of Indiana; Mrs. David Moore Robinson, of Maryland, and Mrs. Claude M. Campbell, of Vermont.

## Minnie L. Briggs' Etchings on View

An exhibition of flower and tree etchings by Minnie L. Briggs is being shown at the Garden Shop, 1507 Wisconsin Avenue, in Georgetown, during the month of April. The shop is open every day until 9 in the evening, and Sunday afternoons.

There are flower etchings in color and some of the "Famous Trees of Washington" prints, as well as etchings of Old Georgetown. Of special interest is the "Sidney Lanier Oak," currently hanging in the Lanier Room of John Hopkins University. Also "Keats at Wentworth House," which hangs in Keats House in London.

Minnie Briggs is a member and past officer of the District of Columbia Branch of the League of American Pen Women has just been elected treasurer of the Miniature Painters, Sculptors and Engravers Society, is a member of the Water Color Club, the Society of Washington Etchers, the Washington Print Club, the American Federation of Arts and the Washington Society of Fine Arts.

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## O'Daniel and Dies May Enter Race

Texas Fight Brewing Over Successor To Sen. Sheppard

By Robert C. Albricht

Post Staff Writer

Possibility that W. Lee O'Daniel, Texas' crooning Governor, might fight it out with Representative Martin Dies in a special election race for the Senate developed last night.

As the Senate paid homage to the late Senator Morris Sheppard, a pot-boiling campaign in Texas for his Senate seat appeared imminent.

Both O'Daniel and Dies were expected to get into the race with a remote possibility that the Administration might enter a candidate of its own—Representative Lyndon B. Johnson, of Texas.

Death of the "dean of Congress" meanwhile deprived the Administration not only of one of its staunchest Senate supporters but of his 100 per cent cooperation on defense and aid measures as chairman of the important Senate Military Affairs Committee.

Almost certain to succeed Sheppard as chairman of the committee was Senator Robert R. Reynolds, of North Carolina, sympathetic with the New Deal on domestic matters but completely out of line with its foreign policy. Isolationist in his views, Reynolds was the only Southern Senator who voted against the lend-lease bill.

Succession by seniority of Reynolds to the post would leave both Military and Naval Affairs Committees, charged with clearance of national defense legislation, under isolationist chairmen. Chairman Walsh of the Naval Affairs Committee, like Reynolds, opposed the lend-lease bill. Cool to aid to Britain, both have strongly supported purely domestic defense measures.

Reynolds declined comment in reference to Sheppard's death, but friends said he undoubtedly would assert his seniority right to the chairmanship. Next in line was Senator Thomas, of Utah, foursquare with the Administration's foreign policy but now chairman of the Senate Labor Committee.

Filling of Sheppard's Senate seat meanwhile presented alternatives apparently politically distasteful to the Administration. Dies, chairman of the House Committee on un-American Activities, repeatedly has clashed with the inner New Deal element of his party. O'Daniel is a former Republican without any ties with the Texas Washington contingent.

Under Texas law, O'Daniel within the next ten days must call a special election to be held within 60 to 90 days. In the interim, while Congress is sitting, he may appoint a temporary successor to Sheppard.

While the Texas Governor withheld a decision, most members of the Lone Star Congressional delegation believed he would run.

Most prominently mentioned to serve in the temporary capacity were Carr P. Collins, Dallas insurance man; J. M. West, Houston capitalist; and E. B. Cernany, of Dallas, chairman of the State Democratic Committee.

Texans here speculated on O'Daniel offering the interim seat to former Vice President John Garner as a gesture, but expressed doubt the appointment would be accepted even if offered. Practically the only contact O'Daniel has with Garner is through Cernany, who served as comanager of the Texas "favorite son" in the last Presidential campaign.

Dies was believed certain to enter the special election race, with a good chance to win despite O'Daniel's radio pulling power. The aggressive chairman of the committee on un-American activities and his crusades against Nazis and Communists have been equally popular.

Representative Johnson represented third-term New Dealers in Texas in the last campaign and together with Speaker Rayburn worked out the Texas truce with the Garner forces. He was a trouble shooter for the Administration in the 1940 Congressional campaigns.

A fourth possible candidate was Representative Wright Patman, now in Texas, whose friends expect him to toss in his hat.

A flour salesman by profession and a born showman, O'Daniel fooled the professional politicians in the last two elections by turning his "Hill Billy" flour program into a campaign, with words and music.

O'Daniel failed to persuade the Texas Legislature to fill his \$30 pension pledge in his first administration, and appears headed for failure again in his second. But the Texas bill he recently signed making strike "violence" a penitentiary offense has been popularly hailed in Texas. Informed Texans here think he might try to ride into the Senate on the second, before the State Legislature beats him again on the first.

Since the war overshadows pensions as an issue, some informed Texans here believe the publicity given Dies' blast against Hitler offers Dies the better chance.

**George Pratt Dies;**

**A Founder of Legion**

Little Rock, Ark., April 9 (AP)—George H. H. Pratt, 54, who helped found the American Legion in a conference of World War veterans with Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., at St. Louis shortly after the World War, died of a heart attack last night.

## D. C. 'Mayor' Job May Fall To Sen. Bilbo

Theodore Gilmore (The Man) Bilbo, of Mississippi, figured prominently last night in speculation over the likeliest successor to the chairmanship of the Senate District Committee, almost certain to be vacated after less than three months' tenure by Senator Robert R. Reynolds, of North Carolina.

Out of respect for Senator Morris Sheppard, of Texas, who died yesterday, Senator Reynolds, ranking majority member of the Military Affairs Committee, declined to comment on whether he plans to succeed Sheppard as chairman of the committee.

Close associates of the North Carolinian, however, cited Reynolds' keen interest in national defense as evidence that he is virtually certain to accept the post, to which he is entitled under the Senate's seniority rule.

Reynolds is expected to move into the top spot on the powerful military committee unless he is offered a place of equal importance. In either event, the District Committee chairmanship would be vacated.

Bilbo enters the picture because the four men ahead of him on the District Committee, should Reynolds resign, are Senators Glass, Tydings, Bankhead and McCarran, and all of them have previously demonstrated their unwillingness to serve.

McCarran, who declined the chairmanship after being elected by the Senate Steering Committee last January, made it clear yesterday that the answer is still "No," definitely.

"Whoever takes over the District Committee," he declared, "should be prepared to do a good job. I simply am too busy to do that kind of a job."

Bilbo was out of the city and not available for comment.

## Senator Sheppard Dies; Body to Lie in State Today

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Representatives of the House to attend the funeral. Many of the members already were in Texas, because of the Congressional recess, and it was not known just how many of those here would be able to make the trip.

The soft-spoken, genial 65-year-old chairman of the Senate Military Affairs Committee suffered a cerebral hemorrhage Friday and was taken to Walter Reed Hospital Sunday.

Carrying a heavy load in defense legislation and as director of hearings by his committee, he had shown the effects of overwork for several weeks. Despite advice of friends and physicians to take a rest, he remained at his legislative post.

In 38 consecutive years as a member—first of the House and then the Senate, the silver-haired Texan gained a reputation for putting in long hours and regular attendance at Senate meetings.

First and foremost a party man, Senator Sheppard had gone along with the Democrats in every major issue except prohibition. He gave allegiance to Al Smith as the party's standard-bearer in 1928 and was loyal in supporting Franklin D. Roosevelt in 1932, 1936 and 1940. But he was careful always to make it clear that he disagreed with both on the liquor question.

Until his death he considered his authorship and successful sponsorship of the prohibition amendment as the outstanding achievement of his long career. On each anniversary of the amendment's ratification—until its repeal—he made a speech in the Senate commemorating the date. And on each anniversary after repeal he made a speech urging and predicting the return of prohibition.

Sheppard was author of the Sheppard Act which brought prohibition to the District in 1917, two years before national prohibition.

In a last-ditch defense of the dry clause in February, 1933, just before the repeal resolution was adopted, he attempted a one-man

Albustler. He talked from 1:30 p. m. until 10 p. m., then suddenly sat down. No other Senate "dry" had come to his assistance.

Senator Sheppard's advocacy of the dry law stemmed from a deep conviction "that liquor in itself is evil, imbedded in him by a picture of the drunkard's stomach in a physiology book at the schoolhouse at Wheatville, Tex. And his opponents respected and admired him for his sincerity and courage while they ridiculed many another dry leader.

They respected and responded in kind to his conscientious avoidance of personalities or abusive language in his antirum speeches. He was never fanatic. His droning addresses on prohibition and other issues were frequently long, always full of classical allusions and he was said to have won his victories more by wearing out his adversaries than by a direct assault on their ideas.

As determined as his prohibition campaign was the Texan's support of President Woodrow Wilson, the League of Nations and the World Court.

He always believed in and worked for world cooperation in peace. He also fought for world cooperation in trade by staunchly supporting lower tariffs in the United States.

Senator Sheppard had a reputation for far-sightedness. In 1910, he sponsored the first bill to establish all mail service but the measure went down amid ridicule by his colleagues.

But he remained to sponsor bills establishing an aircraft board and authorizing the Secretary of War to purchase land for aviation schools and proving grounds.

Recently he had come increasingly to public notice in directing Military Affairs Committee hearings on Army and military establishment legislation.

Senator Sheppard was born at Wheatville, Morris County, Tex., May 28, 1875, a descendant of a long line of Methodists and Baptists. At the University of Texas he received the A. B. and LL. B. degrees and a Phi Beta Kappa key.

He obtained a LL. M. degree from Yale University in 1898 and set up practice of law the same year in Pittsburg, Tex.

He moved to Texas, his home at the time of his death, two years later and in 1909 married Miss Lucille Sanderson, of Texas.

When his father, Representative John L. Sheppard, died in 1902, the son was elected to fill the unexpired term in the Fifty-seventh Congress and was reelected successively until 1913. After the resignation of Senator Joseph W. Bailey in 1913, Sheppard was elected to fill his unexpired term. He had remained in the Senate since that time.

Last year, Senator Sheppard announced he would again seek reelection in 1942 in the hope of breaking the "all-American record for length of service in Congress." Five

others, he said, had exceeded his length of service. At the end of another complete term he would have served consecutively 48 years and 2 months.

In addition to his wife, Senator

Sheppard is survived by three married daughters, Mrs. Richard Arnold, of Texarkana; Mrs. Cornelius McGillicuddy (Connie Mack), Jr., of Philadelphia; and Mrs. Arthur Keyes, Jr., of Rutland, Va.



SENATOR MORRIS SHEPPARD

of Texas, died yesterday in Walter Reed Hospital after an illness of less than a week.

## Sen. Sheppard Is Eulogized By Leaders

The death of Senator Morris Sheppard was mourned yesterday by President Roosevelt, members of his Cabinet and leaders on both sides of the Capitol.

Mr. Roosevelt's statement took cognizance of the fact that overwork was a contributory factor in his death. The president said:

"Unsparring of himself, he refused to heed all warnings of friends that he was overtaxing his physical resources and he has gone to his account with every obligation to duty fulfilled."

"He was my firm friend through many years. His passing brings sincere sorrow and a great personal loss."

**"A Tower of Strength"**  
The President described the Senator as "a tower of strength" in the work of National defense. He said the legislator was a "courteous and kindly man" with "superb courage, enthusiasm and great charm of manner."

Vice President Wallace observed that "the Senate will greatly miss the most unusual kindness and hard-working ability" of Mr. Sheppard, while Secretary of War Stimson paid tribute to the Senator's knowledge of National defense as of "inestimable value to the country in the present emergency."

Gen. George C. Marshall, the Army's chief of staff, gave credit to Mr. Sheppard's statesmanship for the rapid expansion of the military forces.

**Jones Pays Tribute**  
A fellow Texan, Secretary of Commerce Jesse Jones, declared:

"Few men have been permitted to serve so long and continuously in the National Congress as Senator Morris Sheppard, and certainly few have devoted their talents and energies more unselfishly."

George W. Crabbe, general secretary of the Anti-Saloon League of America, called the Senator a "true Christian statesman" who gave his life to his country as truly as any soldier on the battle field.

Senator Reynolds (Democrat), of North Carolina, slated to succeed Mr. Sheppard as military affairs committee chairman, observed that he had never heard "Senator Sheppard speak one ill word of any man on the face of this earth."

Joining in the tributes to Senator Sheppard last night were House Speaker Rayburn and former Vice President Garner, both fellow Texans.

Rayburn grieved "for a personal friend and a great American." Garner said he knew the Senator "as a patriot and a most valuable man to Texas and the Nation."

**Boy Scout Movement Banned in Netherlands**  
Amsterdam (Via Berlin), April 9 (AP)—The Boy Scout movement was officially abolished in the Netherlands today. A statement said the boys belonged to the International Boy Scouts which in the Nazi view constitutes an instrument of British cultural and political propaganda.

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**George Pratt Dies;**  
**A Founder of Legion**  
Little Rock, Ark., April 9 (AP)—George H. H. Pratt, 54, who helped found the American Legion in a conference of World War veterans with Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., at St. Louis shortly after the World War, died of a heart attack last night.

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## The Federal Diary

By Jerry Klutz

### Defense Creates Problems, Work for Health Service

National defense has created new problems and more work for the Public Health Service. And it has made old problems more acute. PHS scientists, for example, are trying to find substitutes for quinine and opium. Quinine is imported largely from Java and our main opium supply comes from the Balkan states. The wars abroad threaten to reduce or cut off shipments completely. Both quinine and opium are vital war-time drugs. Quinine is used in the treatment of malaria and injured soldiers are given opium to relieve pain. PHS hopes to perfect an opium substitute that will relieve pain but will be non-habit forming.

PHS's Industrial Hygiene Section at Bethesda is loaded with defense work. Athletic foot was troublesome to soldiers during the World War and PHS experts hope to keep it under control by a new light treatment being developed by Dr. Paul A. Neal, chief of the research section, and Dr. Alexander Hollander.

Scientists in the section also are studying air conditions in Army barracks and what can be done about them. They have developed germicidal lamps which might purify the air, and prevent spread of contagious diseases.

Anything that crops up in industry affecting the health of employees is the concern of the industrial hygiene section. New materials and new products always produce new problems. Plastics are being used widely now in plane production and the section has started an investigation of the effects of working with materials that are used in the making of plastics. A study is being made of vinyl cyanide, which is used in the manufacture of synthetic rubber.

### 40 Doctors in Training

Toluene is a material used in the making of T. N. T. and other high explosives. Fumes from it are dangerous and Dr. Neal and Dr. von Oettingen are investigating their control. Colleagues of the doctors seem to believe that the experiments are dangerous to the health of the doctors themselves, but Dr. Neal and Dr. von Oettingen appear to be in good physical condition.

PHS is now training 40 physicians, nurses, engineers and laboratory technicians in a general course that covers sanitation, pure food and water, ventilation, control of general diseases, and general health problems. These employees soon will be sent to defense centers. There they will work with State health departments. Eventually 250 new employees will be given similar training. The employees are recruited from Civil Service registers.

The New Boulevard Apartment at 515 Twenty-second Street N.W. has been leased by the Federal Government. The building will be completed in June and it will house about 1,000 employees. War Department probably will get the building. Dr. W. Edwards Beach has been appointed principal commodity exchange economist in charge of the Division of Economic Analysis of the Commodity Exchange Administration. He succeeds Dr. Blair Stewart, who is a consultant for the National Resources Planning Board.

A Federal official swears this happened to him. A Senator's secretary called him to urge the appointment of a certain young man. The official asked what were the person's qualifications. "Well," the secretary began, "the Senator would be mighty pleased to have him in your organization and the young man has lots of friends at the race track and anytime any of you fellows down there want to go to the races I'm sure he'll be able to fix things up."

**G. O. P. Symbols Stolen From Martin's Office**  
The secret is out. House Minority Leader Joseph W. Martin harbored the enemy in his very office, along with several loyal friends. Mrs. Elsie Gridley, of Brookdale, Md., the Republican Representative's secretary, told police yesterday that a small porcelain donkey (the symbol of a certain political party) had been stolen from Martin's office in the Capitol Building sometime before December 30. Also missing were four small elephants.

**In Keeping with the World**  
North Adams, Mass., April 9 (AP).—Hyman Patashnick isn't worried about inflation, but he's seriously wondering whether the American dollar is going "upside down." He proudly exhibited today a \$1 silver certificate on which one side was printed upside down. At first, he had thought it was counterfeit, but bankers assured him it was genuine.

### 'Miss Capitol Hill ...'



**A FITTING CROWN**—Bonnie Patton, daughter of Representative Nat Patton, of Texas, was crowned "Miss Capitol Hill" last night at a meeting of Little Congress in the House Office Building. Mary Hester, of Clinton, Mass., affixes the headgear. Bonnie gets a trip to New York over the Easter weekend. There she will meet Mayor LaGuardia and attend the festivities of the Little Congress conclave.

### Officials Probe Public Schools Boy's Story Police Hit Him For Holidays

High police officials are investigating two cases in which prisoners, one a 15-year-old boy, were injured after arrest. Inspector L. I. H. Edwards said last night. In a written protest made at Police Headquarters yesterday, Charles Covington, 15, of 631 F Street Northeast, accused Private Joseph P. Miller, 37, of punching him in the face, a blow which loosened his teeth, and scratching his arm. The other injured prisoner was Garland H. Smith, 46, a printer, of 1428 Massachusetts Avenue Northwest, who was arrested Tuesday afternoon and charged with intoxication. Smith received hospital treatment for an arm injury after a scuffle.

Inspector Edwards said that the case was being investigated although no formal complaint had been entered against the policeman involved. Young Covington, on the other hand, entered a formal complaint. He appeared at headquarters with his mother, Mrs. Vincent Giardina, and told his story of what occurred after he was arrested Tuesday night at Uline's Arena. A bruise was noticeable on his cheek.

Capt. Richard Mansfield, commander of the Ninth Precinct, said Private Miller was detailed to the Baer-Galento fight, on "light" duty because of a recent appendectomy and that the officer arrested Covington on a charge of disorderly conduct. Miller told him, Capt. Mansfield said, that he was taking Covington to the Ninth Precinct in a taxicab when the youth tried to break away and struck his face on the side of the taxicab. The laceration on the wrist was a result of the policeman's attempt to put a handcuff on the boy, it was said.

### Two Arrested in H Street Opium Raid

A smoking opium raid, very rare because the war has all but cut off the illicit supplies, was effected here yesterday by Federal narcotics agents and police. Leo Lee, 31 (standing) and Lee Tim, 48, were charged with violating the Harrison and Export-Import Acts. The smoking room was in a second-floor room at 603 H Street Northwest. Seized paraphernalia included a bed, the black, oblong objects are smokers' pillows. Also shown are a peanut oil lamp, a paper bag containing yeh shee, jars filled with processed opium, a scraping knife and the pipe.



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## City Plans Good Friday Observances

**Holy Thursday Services Will Be Held in Many Churches Today**

By Robert Tate Allan  
The Post's Church Editor.  
Christ's Last Supper with His Disciples and His tragic hours in the Garden of Gethsemane will be recalled here in Holy Thursday services today—eve of Good Friday, which marks His crucifixion.

Cooperation of religious, civic and business leaders is expected to make the Good Friday observance very significant, business firms having responded generously to a special committee's plea that employees be given a recess to attend one of the three-hour services. At the same hours, soldiers will be excused to worship either at the Army Post or in adjacent communities.

The special committee urging the city-wide observance is headed by Dr. Albert J. McCartney, chairman of the Committee on Religious Life in the Nation's Capital, and pastor of Covenant-First Presbyterian Church.

**Bishops Cochairmen**  
Cochairmen are the Most Rev. Michael J. Curley, Archbishop of Baltimore and Washington, and the Right Rev. James E. Freeman, Bishop of Washington. The Rev. Joseph E. Gedra, assistant pastor of the Church of the Immaculate Conception, is secretary.

Chief of Army Chaplains William R. Arnold, in issuing a proclamation, instructed all chaplains: "Not only at Easter time, but daily, it is your responsibility and task to open the Scriptures to the minds of men for their understanding until their hearts burn within them. These are dark and fearsome days, and men are yearning to hear the voice of God and to feel the strength and comfort of his power."

Meanwhile, many Holy Week services were held throughout the city yesterday. As the Washington Federation of Churches sponsored its final Lenten service, the season of Epiphany Church, Dr. William R. Barnhart asked in his sermon:

"Are we going to crucify Him by denying His principles, or are we going to give Him a new resurrection in our lives?"

**Same Forces Today**  
Declaring that "Jesus' idea of international brotherhood came into sharp conflict with the narrow nationalistic policies of His time," Dr. Barnhart said, "He was crucified by the narrow nationalists, the religious intolerant and the indifferent public." These forces, he said, are deep-rooted and active today. He is federation secretary.

Southeast congregation will unite in a three-hour Good Friday program at the North Carolina Avenue Methodist Church. Methodists of the city will join in worshipping at Foundry Methodist Church, and churches of the Bloomingdale area will meet at Memorial United Brethren Church, North Capitol and R Streets Northwest. All those rites will be from 12 to 3 p. m.

The Washington Catholic Evidence Guild will sponsor an "Everybody's Good Friday" service from 12:30 to 2:30 p. m. in Franklin Park. Fourteenth and K Streets Northwest.

**Good Friday**  
10:30 a. m.—1:30 p. m.—"Kings of Kings." First Congregational Church, 1317 G Street Northwest.  
Noon—Lutheran three-hour service, Keller Memorial Lutheran Church, Ninth Street and Maryland Avenue Northeast.  
Noon—Lutheran three-hour service, Grace Lutheran Church, Sixteenth and Varnum Streets Northwest.  
Noon—Episcopal three-hour service, 1730 G Street Northwest.  
7:45 p. m.—Concert, Wheaton College Women's Glee Club, Metropolitan Baptist Church, Sixth and A Streets Northeast.  
8 p. m.—Pastor Play, Grace Reformed Church, Fifteenth and O Streets Northwest.  
8 p. m.—Cantata, "The Crucifixion," St. Paul's Methodist Church, Twentieth and Crittenden Streets Northwest.

## Randolph Enlists Aid of 36 Visiting Teachers In Nation-Wide Crusade for District Vote



**"MAYOR" RANDOLPH HAS THE FLOOR**—Chairman Jennings Randolph, of the House District Committee, presiding at yesterday's "mock" meeting of the House District Committee, lectures to visiting school teachers for whom the gathering was staged.

## Passover Rites Set For Tomorrow

Seder services tomorrow at sundown in homes of Washington Jewry will begin the Passover, Jewish Festival of Freedom.

One of the oldest religious feasts in the history of Judaism, the Passover was first celebrated more than 2,000 years ago to commemorate the deliverance of the Jews from bondage in Egypt to freedom in Palestine.

Unleavened bread, called matzos, will be eaten and the head of the family will read from the Hagadah, the book telling the story of the deliverance, as part of the Seder rites.

Of special interest this year will be a public Seder service at 7 p. m. at Beth Shalom Synagogue, Eighth and Shepherd Streets Northwest, for defense and other workers compelled to be away from their homes during the Jewish festival.

The Hebrew Travelers' Sheltering Society has extended an invitation to all men and women away from home to attend Seder services tomorrow and Saturday at 7 p. m. at 407 Massachusetts Avenue Northwest. Passover extends eight days.

**Isosphy at the Institution.** Three deacons of the Sulpician Seminary will sing the Passion.  
Other Holy Week services for today and tomorrow, in brief, follow:

**Teddy**  
Noonday rites, Epiphany Church, 1317 G Street Northwest.  
Noon—Holy Communion, Broadway, Penn. Theater, Sixth Street and Pennsylvania Avenue Southeast.  
8 p. m.—McMillan's "King of Kings." First Congregational Church, 1317 G Street Northwest.  
7:45 p. m.—Tenebrae services, Church of the Immaculate Conception, Eleventh and G Streets Northeast.  
7:45 p. m.—Candelight Communion, Grace Lutheran Church, Sixteenth and Varnum Streets Northwest.  
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## Educators Favor D. C. Suffrage In Some Form

Chairman Randolph, of the House District Committee, yesterday enlisted 36 teachers, visiting Washington from ten States, as missionaries in the newly revived campaign to enfranchise voiceless residents of the Capital.

He urged them not to wed themselves to any specific plan of District suffrage, but to go out "as teachers" and inform their communities of the non-voting status of Washingtonians.

Randolph estimated that there are 200,000 persons living in Washington who are unable to establish a voting residence, anywhere, and pointed out that by reason of the city's rapid growth that number is likely to be greatly increased.

"What about the sons and daughters of the people who live in Washington?" Randolph asked. "Are they to be denied the privileges of citizenship simply because they happened to be born in the District of Columbia?"

**Lectures on Citizenship**  
Randolph delivered his lecture on District citizenship at a "mock" meeting of the House District Committee, conducted for the benefit of the Institute of National Government for Social Studies Teachers. Delegates to the institute attended the meeting as a part of several days' study here of the conduct of Congress and the Federal departments.

Randolph asked all at the meeting who favored some form of suffrage for the District to raise their hands. As 36 hands went up, Representative Stratton (Republican, of Illinois), opined that the vote might not have been unanimous if the teachers had been given a week to consider the problem and had heard arguments on both sides.

"There are some very good arguments on the other side," Stratton stated.

Representative Randolph had pointed out that some members of Congress adhere to the original concept of the District as existing solely as the seat of national government.

**"Seems Unreasonable"**  
Observing that the Rules Committee last year blocked the Summers suffrage resolution from the House floor, Randolph declared: "If the membership of the House has an opportunity to vote on this question I have no hesitancy in saying it will pass."

The discussion was precipitated by Grace O. Morse, representing the Deland (Ohio) High School, who declared, "It seems most unreasonable to me that the people here should not have a voice in their own affairs."

"What arguments could there possibly be against District representation in Congress?" asked another teacher, Mrs. Lillian Meyers, of Reading, Pa.

**Later Than He Thought!**  
Sam Garrabrant, 11, of Rockville, Md., believes there is a bicycle thief in town who is a mind reader. Yesterday Sam decided to buy a lock for his bike. He parked it next to the 10-cent store, purchased the lock and returned in five minutes to find his bicycle gone.

## Maryland Jai Alai Veto Held Certain

**O'Connor Withholds Comment; Citizens Groups Protest Plans for Game**

Civic groups and other Montgomery County organizations yesterday took a few parting shots at the controversial jai-alai bill, although the certainty grew through the day that Gov. Herbert O'Connor would veto the measure.

The governor returned from a vacation yesterday, but made no comment on his plans. His executive secretary, A. J. Bourbon, said the chief executive would probably not act upon the bill until Tuesday. Bourbon was reported as saying yesterday that it would appear to be "a foregone conclusion" that the Governor would veto it "in view of the fact that the persons who sponsored the legislation Tuesday addressed a petition to the Governor asking him to reject it."

The four Montgomery County members of the House of Delegates who sponsored the legislation Tuesday addressed a petition to the Governor asking him to reject it. Their action accompanied a wave of protest from county groups, which continued to sweep into Annapolis yesterday, greeting the Governor upon his arrival from a trip.

Walter W. Dawson, chairman of the Republican State Central Committee for the county, announced a resolution urging a veto had been forwarded to Gov. O'Connor. The central committee's action was endorsed by the Seventh District Republican Club meeting at the home of President John M. Reeves.

Veto of the measure also was urged by the Community League of Takoma Park and the Hillandale Citizens Association. Only one voice was raised yesterday in support of the measure. J. Arthur Walters, former president of the Takoma Park Chamber of Commerce, said, "There's some gambling going on now in the county, it might just as well be legalized so the county will have the revenue."

The bill authorizes a referendum to be held on legalizing jai-alai betting. Under provisions of the legislation, which was rushed through the General Assembly in its closing session, a \$25,000 court would be built near the District line, and the county and State would get percentages of the "take."

The measure was steered through the State Legislature by Montgomery Delegates E. Brooke Lee, James W. Gill, Ruth Shoemaker and Stanton C. Peelle. Charles C. Jones, an antiorganization Democrat and fifth member of the county's delegation, voted against the measure.

In the face of widespread opposition from civic and religious groups throughout the county, all four members of the delegation who had supported the bill announced Tuesday they would ask the Governor to veto it.

**North Randle Community**  
A speed-up in development of recreational facilities at Fort Dupont Park was urged last night at a meeting of the North Randle Community Citizens Association.

Members asked building of tennis courts and golf course be pushed and sought quick repair of baseball and softball diamonds.

The association also urged enactment of H. R. 1046 for the tightening-up of regulations governing time purchases of automobiles.

**Northeast Boundary**  
The Northeast Boundary Civic Association last night urged that proposed appropriations for a senior and junior high school in the area be increased so that the schools could provide facilities for the section's growing population.

It was pointed out that the \$900,000 requested for a senior high school at Twenty-fourth Street and Benning Road Northeast was planned to provide for 750 pupils, whereas, it was claimed, when the school is completed in the next two years, there will be 1,500 pupils ready to enter the school. The situation was similar with the junior high school proposed for Forty-ninth Street and Washington Place Northeast, it was said.

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Nelson B. Bell About the Showshops

## Capital's Mighty Mind To Be Put to the Test

'Dr. I. Q.' to Vivisect Mass Intelligence;  
A Prima Donna Pays a Capricious Call;  
This, That and the Other About the Theater

THE LATE DAVID BELASCO was wont to open as many of his new productions as possible in Washington because it was his consistent contention that Capital audiences represented the highest intelligence quota in the United States and that any play that would "go over" here on a first night inevitably would prove a success in any other city. There are still those in the high councils of the theater who entertain the same view. Now, in a sort of way, we are to have an opportunity to determine whether or not they are well-founded in their flattery.

Beginning next Monday night, April 14, and for five succeeding Monday nights that celebrated "Mental Banker," who gives "dollars for sense" in his questions-and-answers stint for the airwaves, will project his program from the stage of Loew's Capitol Theater. This would be the polished puzzler of wily wits, "Dr. I. Q."

Everyone who ever twists in the quiz programs on his dial must know "Dr. I. Q." whose real name probably isn't "Intelligence Quota" or anything like it. He piles up perplexing problems and stacks of silver dollars in imposing numbers and rewards the more sapient of his auditors with important pelf and unexpected profits. Beside all that, it is a lot of fun.

Six local NBC announcers will assist "Dr. I. Q." in his theater appearances and everyone—in orchestra, mezzanine or balcony—will have a ring at fortune, provided, of course, he knows the answer. If Washington, seat of the Government, home of the President, temporary haven of the Diplomatic Corps and resident city of that "most intelligent audience in the United States," really knows all the answers, this will be a very elegant time to prove it and run that apparently inexhaustible supply of Dr. I. Q.'s silver dollars down to practically an entry in red ink.

Everybody in the Washington Civic Theater, who can dream up any reasonable excuse, is climbing aboard for that junket to Annapolis, scheduled for April 18, 19 and 20, when the local acting group will present Clara Booth's "Kiss the Boys Goodbye" at the United States Naval Academy for the benefit of the Navy Relief Fund. Director Leon Askin took his cast down to Annapolis last Sunday for a preliminary rehearsal on the stage where they will play and now reports everything under control. That cast, incidentally, will be headed by Nancy Walker, in that fabulously "snitty" role of Cindy Lou Bethany—and please Mr. Composer, don't misspell "snitty."

### A Lovely Lady Ruins Her Day

Tuesday was a doubly sunlit day in the drama department. Martha Errolle dropped by for a minute and graciously remained half an hour. Miss Errolle, needless to say, is the richly gifted young soprano, singing the role of the Countess Bellabruna in the Shuberts' revival of "Blossom Time," currently on the stage at the National Theater. Under the distinguished tutelage of her father, Ralph Errolle, of grand opera renown, Martha also pointed her splendid voice toward the most exalted form of vocal expression. She appeared here in opera some years ago at the Rialto, when Mr. Ray C. B. Brown paid tribute to her youthful capabilities. But there isn't a great deal of opera about to be dallied with at the moment. So Miss Errolle is going in for operetta and would not even be averse to a whirl at musical comedy or revue—if the right one came along. In close-up, Martha substantiates all of the long-distance impressions of alertness, aliveness and allure gathered from way out yonder, the other side of the footlights.

Miss Errolle's call, of course, was upon that Lotharian young Marchbanks, Mr. Richard Livingston Coe, but the drama desk managed to horn in, in its artless, carefree manner, and completely wreck the romanticism of her idyllic April afternoon. In passing, Martha, after her Bellabruna at the National is doubling" as a stellar figure in the entertainment being afforded her customers by the enterprising Helen Hamilton, motivating spirit of The Troika.

### Those British Films Keep Booming Along

There seems to be no stopping these recently English-made comedy-dramas, done in celluloid. With "Night Train" in its ninth week at the Little Theater and still roaring along like an "unlimited," Henry Hiser drops word that "Missing Ten Days"—the subject that we unfortunately have missed for at least that long—is coming back to his Hiser Theater, in Bethesda, Md., to play return engagement on Friday and Saturday of this week. Rex Harrison is the star. Rex Harrison also is costar with Margaret Lockwood in "Night Train." Rex Harrison seems to be quite a fellow.

Untoward circumstances having deprived us of the privilege of attending the multi-miled world premiere of "The Great Lie," in Littleton, N. H., last weekend, not to mention the local previews of "The Devil and Miss Jones" and "The Lady Eve," we still are able to report, second-handedly, that all three are in the top bracket. "The Lady Eve," owing to the deserved popularity of "Men of Boys Town," won't be along to the Palace screen for at least another week, but "The Devil, etc." will crash out at RKO-Keith's tomorrow, with Charles Coburn, a costellar member of the cast, present in person, and "The Great Lie," with Bette Davis, George Brent and Mary Astor, is such a foregone conclusion that five de luxe performances are planned for the Earle on Saturday.

### A Word-to-the-Wife-Is-Suspicious Note

Don't forget that Technicolor Easter egg—the one that is not passe!

## It Looks as if There Might Be the Devil to Pay!



### PRINCIPALS IN COMEDY COMING TO RKO-KEITH'S

Henry Kangsford, Edmund Gwenn, Robert Cummings, Jean Arthur and Charles Coburn, reading in the usual direction, engage in a bit of acerbity in RKO-Radio's production of "The Devil and Miss Jones," opening tomorrow on the screen at RKO-Keith's Theater. Mr. Coburn, one of the most distinguished actors in the American theater, will be present in Washington to make four personal appearances in conjunction with the screenings

## In Hollywood

With Hedda Hopper

Hollywood, April 9.  
You've got to hand it to Charles Boyer, who has no illusions about his looks, his romantic appeal, nor his lack

of hair. He played a heel in "Back Street" so charmingly that you loved him. He's playing another in "Hold Back the Dawn" right up to the hilt, with no punches pulled. Says he, "If they like me—okay. If they don't—that's the part."

Anna Neagle has been tried for murder—but don't worry, she was acquitted. Here's how it happened. USC senior law students put on a mock murder trial, and in order to make it tough for them, the professor persuaded Anna to play the defendant. (She did, for all it was worth, with a sob scene and all the trimmings. It was too much for the jury and student lawyers. "A 'not guilty' verdict came through like a flash."

After a sleep of propaganda films, Hollywood has discovered that the times have grown more depressing than its pictures. So, the industry is making an about-face toward entertainment. With his "Lady from Cheyenne," Frank Lloyd has set a pace in blues-killing that'll be hard to beat. It's a fantastic account of how the wiles and guiles of women moved in and conquered the he-man's wild West.

As the pert Quaker "schoolmarm" who knew what she wanted and how to get it, Loretta Young gives a top performance. But for brilliant direction and deft cutting, chief praise goes to Frank Lloyd. Robert Preston, Gladys George, Frank Craven and Willie Best were outstanding in their roles. I wish they'd stop casting Edward Arnold as a meanie. He's a swell actor. He can make you love to hate him, but wouldn't you rather just love him?

A young Navy flyer at San Diego, whose wife came out from the East to visit him, was having difficulty in a cafe down there getting a glass of beer. He had to

show his Liberty card, his birth certificate, and his social security number, and finally exclaimed, "Gee whizz—I'm old enough to die for my country, but too young to buy a glass of beer for my wife!"

But an incident that happened down there during the making of "Disc Bomber" will be remembered for many a long day. As you know, the picture's being made under the strictest supervision of the Navy, so it behooves everybody to be on hand and give every ounce of co-operation he's got in him. Well, at the graduation exercises scene, Errol Flynn was a little late. There were about 1,000 people participating, and at least 2,000 spectators. Director Mike Curtiz went into his stride, and finally Mr. Flynn appeared.

There was a hush, then Mike loosed that, broken English on Errol, and ended up with, "Now, we'll have a rehearsal. Do you suppose you can walk up to the colonel, salute, and receive your diploma?" Still a hush. Finally, the rehearsal started and Errol, with a wink to the crowd, did a side-swiping swish up to the colonel, gave a dizzy salute, and minced back to his place. They had to bring a bomber down out of the air and take 10 minutes out while 3,000 persons rolled with mirth.

Little Jimmy Lydon, who's the future Henry Aldrich in "Henry for President," came in to see me the other day and hinted that for a sweetheart in the picture he'd love little Ann Gillis, who sits next to him in school.

And he told me that when the studio sent him downtown a few days ago with the company lawyer to have his contract approved by a judge, they neglected to tell him that was the day they had selected for his tests. Yet no one knew where Jimmy was, so they searched Hollywood from 11 a. m. until 4 p. m., when he walked in!

He's a cute kid and should do a swell job as Henry. Understand Walter Abel is to play his pappy. . . . Wish I could have arranged my schedule so I could be Henry's mother again. . . . When Baby Sandy started crying at Universal, the camera picked up the weeping scene. It was developed and shown to Sandy as a demonstration of "how ugly little girls look when they cry."

## Crazy Rhythm Makes Havoc And Fortune

By Frederick C. Othman

Hollywood, April 9.—Our subject today is boogie woogie and best me, daddy, eight to the bar. That doesn't make sense, but three youngsters are making a fortune from it.

Every juke box in the United States plays "Beat Me, Daddy," and "Scrub Me, Mamma, With a Boogie Beat." Almost every dance band in the land is pouring on music, eight beats to the bar, and if the radio ever settles its fight with ASCAP, boogie will be thumpety-thumping from every loud speaker.

The specialists at composing boogie woogie are the Messrs. Don Raye, Hughie Prince and Gene De Paul. Young Prince is seriously ill in New York. The 29-year-old Raye and the 21-year-old De Paul are in Hollywood conjuring up some more boogie woogie profits at Universal studios. They're writing the songs for the Andrews sisters in the movie, "Abbott and Costello in the Navy," now about to hit the cameras.

### FACTS ABOUT NEW "ART"

We had a talk with the boogie woogie specialists and we are now in the position to put down some facts about this newest, ex. art. Boogie woogie is a kind of jungle jazz, thumped for generations on the guitars of Negroes in the deep South. It is exceedingly difficult to play on piano.

Boogie woogie is particularly popular in the Negro sections of St. Louis, Chicago and Kansas City. It has its heroes such as Pig Foot Pete and Pine Top Jones and others who play a hot piano in joints from Texas to the Great Lakes. Mostly they can't read music; usually they make up their tunes as they go along.

The Vaudevillians Prince, Raye and De Paul became fascinated with boogie at jam sessions in New York a year or so ago, decided to put such music on paper, and almost immediately made swing a back number. Their first tune was "Rhumboogie," still an immense hit.

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on the juke boxes. Then they did "Beat Me Daddy" and "Scrub Me Mamma" and "Boogie Woogie Bugle Boy." Their seems to be a monopoly.

### Others Can't Write or Play It

Nobody else yet has been able to write it. Many an orchestra can't even play it. Raye does the words and thinks up the titles, which he says he believes are startling, even if they aren't dignified. De Paul and Prince write the music.

Best boogie woogie band, they claim, is Will Bradley's. A year ago Bradley was just another trombonist. Now he's one of the most prosperous band leaders in the business.

Old-fashioned jazz has two beats to the bar—modern jazz has four. Boogie woogie hops the routine to eight. The jitterbugs had to practice before they ever learned to

dance to it. Those extra beats confused them. Now they insist on it whenever they go dancing, and their insistence is getting increasingly embarrassing for some of the best-known dance bands. They simply can't play boogie woogie the way it ought to be played. They murder it. So much for boogie woogie. If you haven't heard it yet, you might invest a nickel down at the corner soda fountain, but if you don't like it, you'll never get your money back. Prince, Raye and De Paul will see to that.

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Earle—"A Girl, a Guy and a Gob," at 11 a. m., 1:40, 4:30, 7:15 and 10 p. m. Stage shows at 12:40, 3:25, 6:15 and 9 p. m.

Palace—"Men of Boys Town," at 11:55 a. m., 2:20, 4:45, 7:10 and 9:40 p. m.

Metropolitan—"Convoy," at 11:20 a. m., 1:30, 3:40, 5:50, 8:00 and 9:40 p. m.

RKO-Keith—"Nice Girl?" at 12 noon, 2:25, 4:50, 7:15 and 9:40 p. m. "Dionnes Growing Up," at 11:15 a. m., 1:35, 4, 6:25 and 8:50 p. m.

Columbia—"The Great Dictator," at 11:15 a. m., 1:50, 4:25, 7 and 9:40 p. m.

Little—"Night Train," at 11 a. m., 12:45, 2:30, 4:20, 6:05, 7:55 and 9:40 p. m.

Trans-Lux—Newsreels and Shorts at 10 and 11:45 a. m., 12:30, 1:45, 3, 4:15, 5:30, 6:45, 8, 9:15 and 10:45 p. m.

Ambassador—"A Girl, a Guy and a Gob," at 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30 and 9:35 p. m.

Tivoli—"So Ends Our Night," at 1:35, 4:10, 6:50 and 9:30 p. m.

Calvert—"Adam Had Four Sons," at 1:35, 3:40, 5:40, 7:40 and 9:45 p. m.

Penn—"So Ends Our Night," at 12:45, 3, 5:10, 7:25 and 9:40 p. m.

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### AMUSEMENTS

**RKO KEITH'S**

15th at G

**She Almost Said Yes... When UP POPPED The DEVIL**

and **MISS JONES STARTED RAISING CAIN...**

**JEAN ARTHUR in "The DEVIL and MISS JONES"**

**ROBERT CUMMINGS • CHARLES COBURN**

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**THE GREAT Bette Davis TELLS "The Great Lie"**

"Sometimes there's a terrible penalty for telling the truth..."

**TOMORROW**

Plus Gala Easter Revue ★ Warner Bros. **EARLE**

Doors Open 10:30 a.m. First Show 11:00 a.m.

Last Day—"GIRL, GUY, & GOB" & MARTHA RAYE-In Person

**GEO. BRENT**  
**MARY ASTOR**  
**LUCILE WATSON • HATTIE MCDANIEL**  
Scene Play by Lenora Collier • From a Novel by Helen Wells  
Music by Max Baer  
Directed by EDMUND GOULDING



## Leonard Lyons:

AT THE WHITE HOUSE last week, Capt. James Roosevelt discussed with his father the question of income taxes. "There are many people," said Jimmy, "who just haven't enough cash with which to pay their taxes." "I suppose that's true," the President agreed. "I may have to borrow some money myself—so that I can pay my second installment." . . . Jimmy has been conferring with Boris Morros, the producer, about taking over his movie enterprises, while he serves his hitch in the Marines. . . . While Mayor LaGuardia was completing the budget, a reporter asked about his plans for a third term at City Hall. "I haven't even figured out," said Fiorello, "where I'm going to get enough money out of this budget to pay me for this term."

LYONS DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS, JR., is in town, quietly preparing to leave for his South American mission. . . . Clare Boothe, who leaves for Chungking this month, will return in July to do a lecture tour. . . . Louis Ehret went into the Army yesterday. . . . A new magazine of humor and satire will be published by George Delacour. The title is "Slide-Show," the editor, Alex King. . . . Donald Ogden Stewart saw the psychoanalytic show, "Lady in the Dark," and told Gertrude Lawrence that she was too dressed up, onstage. "Just once," Stewart suggested, "you should've come dressed in a Freudian slip."

JOHN GOLDEN, the producer of "Claudia," is a purist. His complaint against theater folk concerns the language they speak. . . . "There are more than a million and a quarter words in the English language. Eight hundred thousand of those words are in the dictionary. And yet nine out of ten persons in and around the theater can think only of 'Okay'—when they really mean 'Yep.'"

MUSICIANS INSIST that this happened a long time ago, and neither Heifetz, Kreisler nor Elman will confirm it. The story concerns Mischa Elman and Jascha Heifetz, who lunched together in Washington. The headwaiter brought an envelope addressed: "To the World's Great Violinist," and, after hesitation, delivered it to Heifetz. . . . "The best way to settle this," Elman suggested, "is to have the headwaiter read it to both of us at the same time." . . . The headwaiter opened the envelope, removed the letter and began reading "Dear Fritz . . ."

WHILE the New York World's Fair was still operating, Grover Whalen told Billy Rose that the Italian government was interested in having Billy produce his Aquacade at the Fair which Il Duce promised to present in Rome the next year. . . . Billy went to the Italian pavilion where he saw the models for the Rome fair—including a 12,000-seat auditorium which would be ideal for the Aquacade. "Tell those men to call me and I'll see them," said Rose. . . . the committee from the Italian Legation phoned and made an appointment to see Rose at his apartment. When they arrived, they greeted him: "How do you do, Mr. Rose?" . . . "My name," said Billy, "is William Samuel Rosenberg." . . . "Yes . . . er . . . we know about that," the Fascists assured him. "But that part's quite all right." . . . "It is," said Rose, making the declaration which really cancelled the deal. "Then I want \$250,000 deposited, in cash, to my account here, before I go to Rome—because I don't like your barter products, cheese and olive oil."

## The Girls, Apparently, Might Be in a Bit of Trouble



MARSHA HUNT AND LARAIN DAY in two of the principal feminine roles in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's production of "The Trial of Mary Dugan," opening this morning on the screen at Loew's Capitol Theater. Miss Hunt all rigged up as a dizzy blonde, will hardly be recognizable to her Washington friends. The plot of this familiar melodrama will embody no such bafflement

## Louella O. Parsons'

Close-Ups and Long-Shots  
Of the Motion Picture Scene

Hollywood, April 9 (INS).—The well-dressed Henry Fonda, who proved how well he wears evening clothes in "Lady Eve," will wear lumber-jack garb in "Wild Geese Calling."

THAT, my friends, you may remember, is Stewart Edwards' adventure novel for which there was such active bidding a few months ago. Darryl Zanuck has decided to put it on the screen next month and co-starring with Hank will be Joan Bennett, who is already on the TCF lot in "Man Hunt."

HARRY JOE BROWN has been assigned the production end and the story is that of a young man who always gets the wanderlust when he hears the wild geese calling. He finally marries and attempts to settle down. The younger Bennett and Hank were teamed once before in "I Met My Love Again."

THE BARBARA HUTTON Reventlow-Cary Grant wedding is now tentatively set for the last week in April. Cary finishes his movie, "Before the Fact," April 18, and then takes a three weeks vacation for a honeymoon before he starts in "Bedtime Story," at Columbia. This Columbia assignment was settled today with Sam Briskin after there had been considerable talk, pro and con, about Cary's starring in "The Man Who Came to Dinner" for Warners. Cary owed Columbia a picture and B. F. Schulberg's production, "Bedtime Story," is it, so now it looks as if he will not do the famous Kaufman-Hart play unless, of course, Warners wait until "Bedtime Story" is finished, which won't be until summer.

NEVER let it be said that Herbert Yates, the traveling boss of Republic, lets any grass grow under his feet. He went to St. Louis with the "Sis Hopkins" junket for the big premiere, but before he left he had mapped out plans for a million dollar movie. Let me tell you how it happened: Civic, historical-minded society members of St. Louis approached Yates on the idea of a picture based on the Lewis and Clark expedition, launched by President Thomas Jefferson, who purchased a million square miles of territory from Napoleon. So enthused is the Republic boss about this movie that he's tossing the entire Republic stellar male lineup in it, with Gene Autry and John Wayne playing Lewis and Clark and Roy Rogers assigned the role of George Shannon, the Indian scout.

I wish I could be twins Friday and go to Mexico City with the James Roosevelt

## Unborn Child Policy Beneficiary

William A. Wellman today took out a \$25,000 insurance policy on his own life, and named as beneficiary his unborn child, expected to arrive early in 1941.

Hollywood calls the Paramount producer-director "Wild Bill," but when it comes to his youngsters, no film colony father is more careful or considerate. He has put into effect

detailed plans to provide a maximum of protection for his growing family, and this policy was just another step in that direction.

## Former Office Boy

Shepherd Sturdivant was once office boy to Charles Coburn, who was then producing Broadway plays.

## AMUSEMENTS

**BENEFIT CHINESE RELIEF**  
**PAUL ROBESON**  
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**Robert YOUNG • Laraine DAY**  
TOM CONWAY • FREIDA INESCORT  
JOHN LITEL • MARSHA HUNT

**DOORS OPEN 10:45**  
Horace Heidt Will Appear On Stage At  
12:35-3:25  
8:10-9:00  
Screen At  
11:00-1:45  
4:30-7:10  
10:00

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## Today's NEIGHBORHOOD MOVIES

**AMBAASSADOR** 1915 & Col. Rd. George Murphy-Jane Bryan. "The Girl in a Red Velvet Gown." 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30, News.

**BEVERLY** 15th & E St. N.E. "The Girl in a Red Velvet Gown." 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30, News.

**CALVERT** 2344 W. Ave. N.W. "The Girl in a Red Velvet Gown." 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30, News.

**CENTRAL** 425 9th St. N.W. "The Girl in a Red Velvet Gown." 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30, News.

**KENNEDY** 6000, Mat. 1 P.M. "The Girl in a Red Velvet Gown." 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30, News.

**PENN** 19th & E St. N.E. "The Girl in a Red Velvet Gown." 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30, News.

**SHERIDAN** 6th & Sheridan St. N.W. "The Girl in a Red Velvet Gown." 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30, News.

**SILVER** 6th & Silver St. N.W. "The Girl in a Red Velvet Gown." 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30, News.

**TIVOLI** 14th & Park St. N.W. "The Girl in a Red Velvet Gown." 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30, News.

**UPTOWN** 6th & Uptown St. N.W. "The Girl in a Red Velvet Gown." 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30, News.

**APOLLO** 6th & Apollo St. N.W. "The Girl in a Red Velvet Gown." 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30, News.

**AVATON** 6th & Avaton St. N.W. "The Girl in a Red Velvet Gown." 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30, News.

**AVE. GRAND** 4th & Ave. Grand St. N.W. "The Girl in a Red Velvet Gown." 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30, News.

**COLONY** 4th & Colony St. N.W. "The Girl in a Red Velvet Gown." 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30, News.

**HOME** 1330 O St. N.E. "The Girl in a Red Velvet Gown." 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30, News.

**SAVOY** 3030 14th St. N.W. "The Girl in a Red Velvet Gown." 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30, News.

**SECO** 2344 G St. N.W. "The Girl in a Red Velvet Gown." 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30, News.

**TAKOMA** 4th & Takoma St. N.W. "The Girl in a Red Velvet Gown." 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30, News.

**YORK** 6th & York St. N.W. "The Girl in a Red Velvet Gown." 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30, News.

**ACADEMY** 14th & Academy St. N.W. "The Girl in a Red Velvet Gown." 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30, News.

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WITH BOBS WATSON • DARRYL HICKMAN • MARY NASH  
LARRY NUNN • HENRY O'NEILL • LEE J. COBB  
Original Screen Play by James Kevin McGuinness  
Directed by NORMAN TAURAG  
Produced by JOHN W. CONSIDINE, Jr.  
A METRO-GOLDWYN-MAYER PICTURE

**They're holding over 'Men Of Boys Town' for another week...**

**"Of course, I want to see it..."**

**"I'll never forget how I laughed and wept and thrilled when I saw 'Boys Town'..."**

**"Everybody says the sequel is even more entertaining... I just can't wait to see it!"**

**Held Over 2nd Week!**  
**Spencer TRACY**  
**Mickey ROONEY**

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**Loew's PALACE NOW**  
F at 13th  
Doors Open 10:45



Driver Freed in Boy's Death

D. C. traffic deaths this year - 23  
Deaths this date last year - 19  
District total last year - 79

Howard H. Rutan, 49, of Chevy Chase, Md., was released in custody of his attorney yesterday pending an inquest into the death of a 6-year-old colored boy, the District's twenty-third traffic victim this year.

The boy, Robert Moore, jr., of 1431 Corcoran Street Northwest, died at Children's Hospital at 10:33 p. m. Tuesday of a fractured skull. Police, however, were not notified of the death until yesterday.

Rutan was knocked down by Rutan's automobile in the 1600 block Thirteenth Street Northwest, Tuesday afternoon, when he walked into the street from between parked cars, according to the story told police.

George Nichols, 28, of 619 Quebec Place Northwest, suffered concussion and a possible spinal injury yesterday when the taxicab he was driving collided with a truck at New Jersey and Rhode Island Avenues Northwest. The injured man was taken to Sibley Hospital.

69 Express Drivers Get 'No Accident' Cards

Sixty-nine drivers for the Railway Express Agency, Second and I Streets Northwest, last night were presented with "no accident" cards by Capt. Milton D. Smith, commander of the police traffic division.

Eight of the drivers, according to Superintendent C. W. Turner, have driven express trucks for 5 years without an accident. Of the rest, 3 had accident-free records for 5 years, 5 for 3 years, 17 for 2 years and 36 for 1 year.

Health Department Gets Aid in Chest Tests for Selects

Thanks to the Navy Department and the Red Cross, the District Health Department no longer is in a quandary over how it can give X-ray examinations to 5,600 Selective Service registrants this month.

Recently, District Selective Service headquarters requested the department to step up its monthly X-ray examinations from 4,000 to 5,600. The department replied that it just couldn't be done. The staff wasn't big enough.

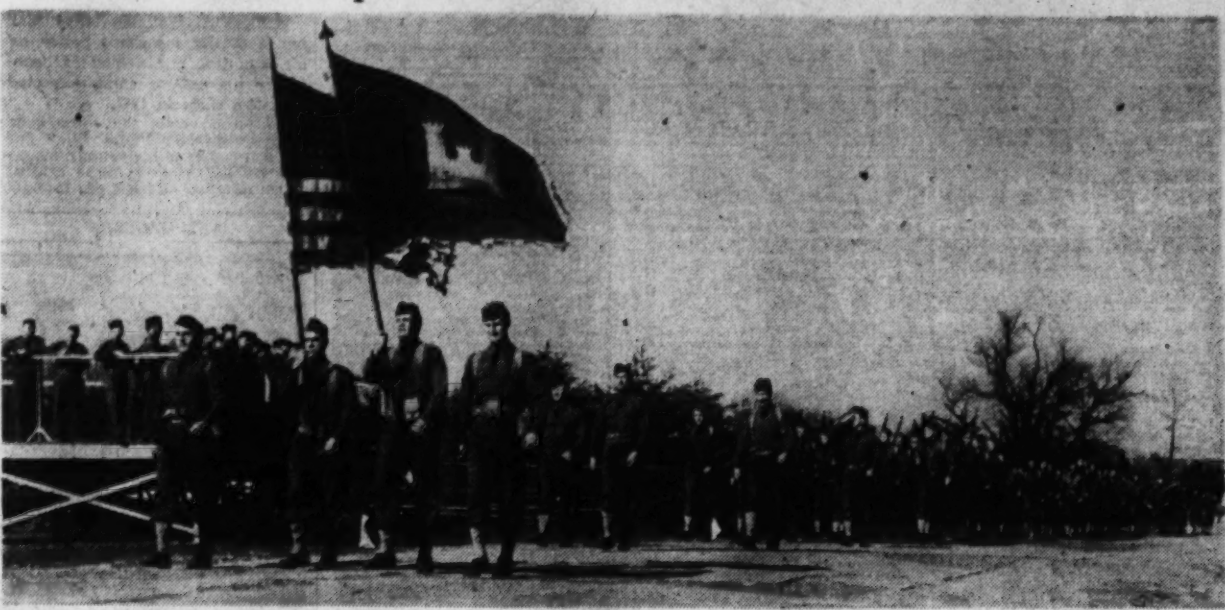
But last night the first night clinic was held. The registrants will be examined Monday, Wednesday and Friday nights in addition to Tuesday and Thursday in the day hours, as previously.

Dr. A. Barkley Coulter, director of the department's tuberculosis bureau, said that with technicians supplied by the Navy and secretaries supplied by the Red Cross, "everything is under control." Selective Service Headquarters' request would be met.

Plans for Concerts

Published reports that this summer's concerts at the Potomac Watergate had been canceled were described as "completely false" yesterday by a National Symphony Orchestra spokesman.

Meade Troops Pass in Review for Rookie Selectees



THEIR FIRST NIGHT IN CAMP—First large group of selectees from Washington to arrive at Fort George G. Meade, Md., were honored by the veterans at the Army post when the Twenty-ninth Division passed in review (top) for the newcomers. Lower—The selectees celebrated the first night in camp with a song. They have been assigned to the Eleventh Field Artillery.

Freedom Has Spiritual Basis, Says Dr. Glenn

Dr. C. Leslie Glenn, who said he had liked Rotary Club work in Cambridge, Mass., "because of the singing," yesterday brought a Holy Week message to local Rotarians, basing it on religious and patriotic music. He is now rector of St. John's Church of the Presidents, Lafayette Square.

Following his annual Holy Week custom, Dr. Charles T. "Parson" Warner conducted the program. He is rector of St. Alban's Parish, Mount Saint Alban's.

Using "My Country 'Tis of Thee," for one of his illustrations, Dr. Glenn called attention to the line, "Our Father's God to Thee, Author of Liberty." All free institutions, he said, have a spiritual foundation.

Among the "parsons" on hand yesterday were Canon Albert H. Lucas, headmaster of St. Albans Boys' School, Mount St. Alban; the Rev. Kenneth Lyons, pastor of Mount Tabor Methodist Church, Georgetown; and Rabbi Norman Gerstenfeld, of the Washington Hebrew Congregation.

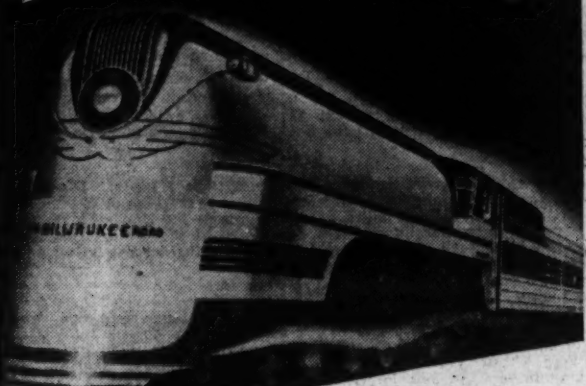
Canadian Premier Delays U. S. Visit

Ottawa, Ontario, April 9 (AP).—Prime Minister Mackenzie King decided today to postpone his departure to the United States for a few days.

He had planned to leave Ottawa this afternoon to visit President Roosevelt when gravity of the war news prompted him to wait until later.

The Prime Minister said he had received an invitation some weeks ago to visit the President at Warm Springs, Ga., during the Easter holidays. Now he will await definite word as to the day President Roosevelt will leave for Warm Springs, and time his departure to join the President soon after he reaches the Georgia resort.

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**ECONOMY**

Brown, Black Horse Troops Off to Kansas

Hooves of bay, black and chestnut horses of the Sixteenth Field Artillery clattered on the asphalt streets of Fort Myer yesterday for what may have been the last time.

Three batteries—A, B and headquarters—which had been garrisoned at the nearby post since the Armistice, were leaving for a new home at Fort Riley, Kan.

The famous White Horse troop, prominent on many ceremonial occasions in Washington, remained behind, still battery C, but now attached to the Fifty-fifth Field Artillery.

The white horse troop, however, turned out yesterday with the officers and men of the Third Cavalry "drum out" the artillerymen in style. As the 400 soldiers and 200 horses of the Sixteenth fell in before their barracks on Sheridan Avenue, the men of the cavalry formed along the sides of the street and snapped to attention.

All Aboard for Kansas

Drums rolled, a band crashed out "The Gallopers," and the artillerymen led their unadorned mounts down the hill and through the gates to Rosslyn Station.

At the station, ceremonials over, the artillerymen plunged into the task of leading their mounts into the unfamiliar surroundings of slatted stock cars.

They rolled their 75-millimeter guns aboard gondolas and they themselves boarded coaches. In command of the two trains that left at 11 a. m. and 12:30 a. m. were respectively Capt. H. K. Whelan and Capt. O. N. Skinner. They will reach the large Kansas cavalry and field artillery post Monday evening.

Because their matched white, black and brown horses have been prominent on Washington ceremonial occasions for many years, Fort Myer cavalry and artillerymen had become Pennsylvania Avenue something to what the Horse Guards are to Buckingham Palace.

A Glorious Past

But Army officers are quick to remind you the Sixteenth is not just a "show outfit." They point to this history:

The Sixteenth was formed at Camp Robinson, Wis., in 1917, its members having been selected from the old Eighth Field Artillery. It soon was full in the throes of the World War.

Fighting with the Fourth Division, the first field piece of the Sixteenth hurled a shell over No Man's Land August 6, 1918. From that time on, followed virtually continuous action. The regiment (now designated a battalion) won laurels at Aisne-Marne, Champagne, Lorraine, Meuse-Argonne, and St. Mihiel.

The motto of the Sixteenth is "Macte Nova Virtute"—("Go to fresh deeds of valor.") The War Department says this will apply at Fort Riley as elsewhere.

KIDNEY TROUBLE

Stop Getting Up Nights

To harmlessly flush poisons and acid from kidneys and relieve irritations of bladder so that you can stop "getting up nights," get a 48 cent package of Gold Medal Haasem Oil Capsules and take as directed. Other symptoms of kidney and bladder weakness may be scant, burning or smarting passage—backache—leg cramps—puffy eyes. Get original GOLD MEDAL. Refuse a substitute.

Draft Board Announces May Quotas

Washington Selective Service headquarters yesterday announced the number of trainees each local board must furnish for the first May quota call of 132 men.

At the same time, Baltimore induction station officials disclosed that out of 1,884 candidates sent there in March, a total of 266 (14.1 per cent) failed in physical examinations.

The greatest proportion of failures was for dental defects, 55. Others failed for the following reasons: Mental and nervous disorders, 43; venereal diseases, 43; hypertension, 18; musculo skeletal, 14; and defective vision, 13.

Meanwhile, E. Barrett Prettyman, newly named District hearing officer for appeals of conscientious objectors, described methods of investigating the cases of men claiming conscientious objection.

Prettyman said that when a registrant's request for deferment as a war objector is refused by a local draft board, the case will be turned over to the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Justice Department agents will then make a thorough fact-finding survey of the registrant's life and background pertinent to his claims.

At the investigation's conclusion, Prettyman will give the appellant a private or public hearing, according to his wish.

The hearing officer will then recommend a verdict in the case to the Assistant Attorney General. The objector could carry his appeal even farther, should Prettyman recommend his induction. Should he so desire, he can take his case directly to the District Appeals Board.

The quota of 132 men for Washington includes 100 white and 32 colored men who will be inducted May 9, the white trainees at Richmond and the colored at Baltimore.

Eight white men will be supplied by Board No. 7, 12 by No. 8, 13 by No. 10, 5 by No. 11, 10 by No. 13, 6 by No. 14, 10 by No. 15, 2 by No. 16, 6 by No. 17, 3 by No. 18, 12 by No. 19, and 13 by No. 23.

Board No. 11 will provide 15 colored men, No. 19 will provide 7, and No. 23, 10.

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after a cold then what

DOCTORS stress remaining in bed until the body temperature is normal. Sound advice.

You know how weak you feel after a cold. Colds play havoc in weakening the body. The story is well told in the blood picture. It is right away to carry the load of work, worries, and loss of sleep. A weakened body may be more susceptible to relapse or long drawn out recovery.

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Gen. Sikorski, Polish Premier, To Visit Meade

Fort Meade, Md., April 9 (AP).—Gen. Wladyslaw Sikorski, Prime Minister of the Polish government in exile, will visit Fort Meade tomorrow.

A message received by Col. Gilbert M. Allen, post commander, said Gen. Sikorski would arrive from Washington at 10 a. m. accompanied by the deputy chief of staff of the Polish forces in exile, Col. Kikiewicz, the general's aide, Capt. Zamoycki, and Lieut. Col. J. S. Winslow, of the United States Army General Staff corps.

Gen. Sikorski was a visitor of President Roosevelt at the White House yesterday.

It was announced that Col. Allen would greet the general at the Simmons Bridge entrance to Fort Meade, at the west border of the post, and that a four-tank convoy would form an escort to post headquarters.

A guard of honor from the 115th Infantry Regiment, Maryland, will be drawn up in front of the headquarters and a 19-gun salute will be fired as the party appears.

It was said that the Polish general would be taken on a general tour of inspection of the camp, and then would visit Maj. Gen. Milton A. Reckord, commander of the Twenty-ninth Division, at the division's headquarters.

Gen. Sikorski is scheduled to leave later in the day for Palm Beach, Fla., to see Ignace Jan Paderewski, famous pianist, who is chairman of the Polish National Council.

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## This Morning

With Shirley Povich

## Potpourri:

Greenville, S. C., April 9.—Neatest of the week: Clark Griffith's beef at the Detroit Tigers who pitched a scatter-arm southpaw rookie named Bob Uhl against the Nats the other day at Charlotte in the same inning, the young left-hander hit Buddy Lewis on the wrist and George Archie on the base of the spine, and Griffith exploded. "Consarn it, they have no right to pitch that kind of a wildcat against a big league club with the season only a week away," raged Griffith. "He might have killed one of my players."

But, for six years, every club the Nats met in the South was exposed to the crazy fast ball of Joe Kraskauskas, of the Borneo Kraskauskas. Every batter who faced Krakky risked being maimed by that scatter-arm, but Griffith was never outraged in these cases. "How in tarnation are you ever going to find out what these young fellows can do unless you pitch 'em in the spring," was Griffith's answer when he owned Kraskauskas. With Griffith, it all depends whose players are hit by pitched balls.

**THE RADIO ACCOUNT OF THE JOE LOUIS-TONY MUSTO FIGHT THE OTHER NIGHT.** Announcer Sam Teub, during the third round: "... and it's a left hook by Louis and Musto goes down." Commentator Bill Stern, summing up between the third and fourth rounds: "... and Musto went down from a right uppercut landed by Joe Louis." Get together, boys, and where were you both on the night of the fight?

**DOC PROTHRO'S MASTERMINDING.**—All spring the Phils had been having it tough in the South. They were en route home for the opening game and Prothro wanted to whip up some fan interest, even if it was only against minor league opposition. So at Winston-Salem, Prothro smiled when the Winston-Salem manager complained that he didn't have a healthy pitcher or catcher to work against the Phils, and would Prothro lend him a battery. Prothro did, and after providing Winston-Salem with what he thought was the worst of his own pitchers, he was forced to watch his own pitcher win a 3-2 game from the Phils with minor league support.

**YANKS LOSE AS NATS WIN.** Twelve days ago, Manager Joe McCarthy was faced with pitching problem—how to make room on his staff for Hank Borowy, the former Fordham star who, after a brilliant year at Newark, was the sensation in the Yankees' training camp. McCarthy hit upon a plan. He sold Steve Sundra to the Nats. Yesterday, McCarthy started Borowy against Brooklyn's barnstorming "B" team at Durham, N. C. The second-rate Dodgers pounded Borowy for five runs in seven innings and beat the Yankees, 5 to 1 on the same afternoon. Sundra was pitching for Washington against the champion Detroit Tigers and beating Buck Newsom in a 4-3 pitching duel, allowing only four hits in the seven innings he worked.

**THE EERIE HOUR SCHEDULE.**—Of the Nats, as arranged by traveling secretary Billy Smithers. The itinerary as mapped by Smithers couples the Washington baseball party with the dawn. They arrived at Goldsboro at 5:10 a. m. today and were due to be jerked into Danville, Va., at the horrible hour of 5:25 a. m. tomorrow. Promptly at 6:35 a. m. on Saturday, the Nats will be dumped off the train at Washington's Union Station, according to Smithers' diabolical schedule. But old timers with the club will always forgive Smithers for anything that he might do. They owe their life to him. It was Smithers who, five years ago, routed them out of the Cordele, Ga., hotel to catch a train for the North at 1:57 a. m. The Nats woke at Chattanooga the next morning to read that at 1:58 a. m. that day, a tornado had demolished the wing of the Cordele hotel they had left thanks to Smithers, only a few minutes before, killing five guests.

## On the Line

With CONSIDINE

## Joe's Hands Suffer the Most

St. Louis, Mo., April 9 (INS).—Joe Louis' bum-of-the-month tour, which ended here last night when Joe jabbed tough Tony Musto into a bad smear, added nothing to his luster as a great champion. And it may have given him something he never had—bad hands.

The ring finger on his right hand was swollen double size when Jack Blackburn cut the gloves off him after the Musto fight. The left was sore, too, but the right was sore enough for Joe to comment upon. He told reporters that he had hurt it in the fight against Abe Simon in Detroit and that it hadn't had time to heal. How much he aggravated it remains to be seen.

"I favored my right against Musto," Joe said in his dressing room after the fight. "I was afraid I might break it on the top of his head. That's all he'd give me to hit." Blackburn quickly changed the subject.

Louis had perfect hands for a long time, maybe the most perfect a heavyweight champion ever had. They were made to absorb the tremendous power his shoulders put into his good punches. There was never any soaking of them in brine or other hardening processes. They were just good hands—as good as they say Fitzsimmons' were bad. The back of his right hand buckled a little on the Carnera fight, but it mended nicely during the layoff which preceded his Baer fight.

His active schedule of late hasn't given his fists time enough to heal between engagements. And this fact showed itself in his rather conservative punching against Burman, his tentative slugging against Simon after the first round, and against Musto, whom he beat mostly with his magnificent jab. The punch with which he knocked out Gus Dozias was an awe-inspiring exception.

Joe is now plainly nervous about fighting against wearing and bobbing opponents. He takes no chances of wading into them, getting down and straightening them up with uppercuts. He doesn't want to hit any money matter which might crack his dukes, which certainly have been made more brittle of late, for his dukes are his fortune. If they get no worse they can bring him another half-million dollars to keep for himself. If they get worse they may hurt his hitting power so much that all he will have left is his boxing ability, and he's not a good enough boxer to beat a fellow like Conn or perhaps Nova.

## 'Easing Up' Process in Evidence

Speaking of Conn, Billy is among those who do not think that Billy Conn should be sidetracked out of a June fight against Joe Louis in order to make way for Lou Nova.

"Me give up that June fight just to make room for that big loogan? Handsome Willie said at ringside last night. "Why, that's as crazy as Nova's Yogi stuff. I signed to fight Louis in June and I'm not going to get rooked out of it. Who did Nova ever lick?"

Somebody said Baer. "Who couldn't Conn scuffed. "Four little brother could lick Baer if he stayed a couple of rounds. Baer's the gutting champ. Beating him is nothing. That Nova, where does he get all that stuff? And that Yogi business. Galento must've knocked him silly. And how about the big bum saying he knocked out Baer with a 'cosmetic' punch? (Ed. note: Nova said "cosmo.") What the heck is a "cosmetic" punch—the big phoney? I could lick him with one hand."

## Who Wants to Wrestle, Anyway?

Conn doesn't plan to fight any more before he meets Louis. "Why should I?" he asked. "I've beaten all the guys they asked me to beat. Besides, everybody I fight now want to rattle with me, just to make me look bad."

Conn kids Louis a lot when he sees him. "Listen, Louis," he said when he met Joe before the Musto fight, "don't get careless and let this bum beat you. Save yourself for me, pal." Louis just chuckled, but after the fight with the squad-lag Musto he must have been thinking about Conn. For he said, "I like them stand-up-fighters to fight against. Fellows like Billy Conn." The picture Conn's name made in Joe's brain caused a slow smile to spread over his honest brown pan.

The gate of \$52,993.75 for the Louis-Musto fight brought Joe's combined gates for the bum-of-the-month fights to more than \$200,000—which may be a little more for his sore hands today, for Joe gets to keep about a quarter out of every dollar he makes.

The \$52,993.75 sum breaks the record for a St. Louis fight. The old mark was set ten years ago by Primo Carnera and Chuck Wiggins. By a coincidence the crowd at the Louis-Musto match was uplifted last night by the presence in the press box of Carnera's chief proprietor, Owney Madden.

## Tony Galento Absolved of Quitting to Buddy Baer

## Nats Beat Detroit Seventh Straight Time, 5-3

## Joe Ray Is Victor of Bowie's Juvenile Feature ... Favorite is Second

## Hudson Hit Hard but Wins in Mud

## Bloodworth Again Leads in Batting; Newhouser, McKain Are Ineffective

By Shirley Povich

Post Staff Writer

Greenville, S. C., April 9.—Firmly in the grip of habit, the Nats beat the Tigers again today. The locale was different, the rain beat in their faces and the pitching wasn't so hot. But the result was the same. For the seventh consecutive time the Nats were licking the American League champions. Today's final figures were 5 to 3.

Twenty-five hundred fans of Greenville, which is now embraced in the Nats' farm system, saw the team from the main office in Washington peck away at the Detroit pitching for a single run in five of the seven innings to win the ball game. The game was called at the end of the seventh to permit the Nats to catch a waiting train for Goldsboro, N. C.

Bucky Harris trotted Sid Hudson out to the mound, and he was unspectacular, giving up seven hits and all of the Tigers' three runs in the five innings he pitched. But it was a poor day for pitchers what with the wet ball slithering out of their hands and coming back to them mudcovered when it was hit on the ground.

**Double for Bloodworth.** Jimmy Bloodworth was again the power boy in the Nats' attack today. He hammered out a long two-bagger and a single to drive in two of the Nats' runs and make two of their nine hits.

The left-handed Harold Newhouser and Archie McKain did the pitching for the Tigers, and Newhouser gave up three of the Nats' runs with a wildcat performance. The Nats were playing without benefit of Buddy Baer, but Jimmy Pofahl did more than an adequate job of playing third base and, finding himself in the strange role of clean-up hitter, responded with a single that drove in the tying run at one point.

Rain interrupted the proceedings for a half hour in the fourth inning, but the officials of the two teams were in no mood to give up the \$1,800 gate receipts on refunds and waited the rain out. Play was resumed in a ditz.

**Run Before a Hit.** The Nats had a run off Newhouser before they had a hit off him. They took a 1-0 lead in the opening inning after the young southpaw walked lead-off man George Case as his first act. With one out, Case stole second and romped to third on Catcher George Tebbets wild throw. He scored on Ben Chapman's infield out to give the Nats a 2-0 lead.

All of a sudden in the second inning, the Nats found themselves trailing, 2-1. Hudson opened the inning gracefully by disposing of Greenberg on a ground ball and striking out York, but then he gave up three straight hits—singles by Higgins and McNair, and a long two-bagger to left by Tebbets which scored both his pals.

Another of three walks Case drew put the tying run on base for the Nats in the third, and Chapman and Pofahl brought Case home with singles to right and center, respectively. Hudson then settled down and pitched two innings of scoreless ball.

See NATS, Page 22, Column 2.



Outrun for the first quarter-mile, Joe Ray (No. 2) came from behind to win the Bowie Kindergarten for 2-year-olds yesterday and rewarded his backers with a \$23 pay-off for each \$2. Second place went to Doctor Redder (No. 1), the favorite, Treemontier (No. 5) was the show horse. The Bryson color-bearer was ridden by Jockey Mannie Berg and was saddled by Trainer Joe Serio, Jr. (Story On Page 24.)

## Top Pro Stars to Play In Benefit Golf Today

Chevy Chase Club Scene of British War Relief Tourney; Sarazen, Heafner, Thomson Here

By Merrell W. Whittlesey

A half dozen of the Nation's biggest golf stars and as many local professionals will co-star in a charity exhibition match for the British War Relief today at Chevy Chase, and with the expected cooperation from the weather man the largest special match crowd in years is expected.

Headed by Gene Sarazen, who only Tuesday was named a charter member of golf's Hall of Fame, the visiting stars included Horton Smith, the putting expert; Jimmy Thomson, the human driving machine; Jim Ferrier, Australia's Open champion and newly turned pro; Clayton Heafner, the colorful Carolinian; and George Dawson, the 1940 National Amateur semifinalist.

Whether Ed Oliver, the Western Open champion who is now in the Army at Fort Dix, N. J., will play remained a mystery last night. Oliver has asked permission to play in the match, but was in the camp hospital last week with a throat infection. He wrote relatives here on Tuesday that he would be at Chevy Chase Thursday, and for them to come out and see him. His mother knew nothing of his plans when queried by phone last night in Wilmington, Del., nor did the local tournament officials.

**Clan Sponsors Event.** The 18-hole affair is being sponsored by Clan MacLennan, O. S. C., and Daughters of Scotia, for the British War Relief Society, in cooperation with the Chevy Chase Club.

Lord and Lady Halifax are expected to put in an appearance, possibly for a luncheon preceding the play at the club at 12:30 p. m. If so, the British ambassador is expected to watch the players tee off, the first foursome starting at 1:30 p. m.

The competitive angle to the charity event will be best-bet twosomes. Cigarette cases, inscribed with the British emblem, will be presented to the winning duo.

The pairings released on Sunday were revised last night by the committee and will find Gene Sarazen, still on top of his game, and Columbia's 1908 National Open champion Fred McLeod first off the tee at 1:30. In the same foursome will be Ferrier, who stopped off here en route to his new pro post at the Elmhurst Club, Chicago, and his partner, Allan Burton, of Army and Navy.

Horton Smith and Host Bob Barnett will play as partners in the 1:45 foursome in the company of Al Houghton, Beaver Dam, and George Dawson, of Chicago.

Heafner will have Wiffy Cox for partner.

See GOLF, Page 22, Column 2.

## Bogart Wins First Match At Pinehurst

By the United Press

Pinehurst, N. C., April 9.—Richard D. Chapman, medalist and national amateur champion, won his first round match in the forty-first annual North and South amateur golf championship today in a convincing manner, defeating Donald Ritchie, of Boston, 7 and 6. Chapman was two under par when the match was ended.

Ralph Bogart, of Washington, D. C., made short work of Raymond Pittman, Fayetteville, in the first round, winning 8 to 6.

**His card:**  
Bogart out... 4 4 4 4 3 4 5 3—36  
Pittman out... 4 5 4 5 5 4 5 6—42  
Bogart in... 7 4 3  
Pittman in... 7 4 4

Bogart will meet sterner opposition tomorrow in Harold Williams, Tuscaloosa, Ala., who shot a 74 in qualifying and eliminated R. D. Clemson today, 4-3.

Most of the favorites came through, but a gloomy note for Pinehurst fans was injected into the proceedings when George Dunlap, Jr., defending champion and six-times winner of the North-South, failed to qualify. He lost out this morning when four players who had 80 in yesterday's qualifying round played off in match play for the two remaining places.

An encore to the National Amateur final at Winged Foot was seen possible as W. B. (Duff) McCullough, of Philadelphia—runner-up to Chapman in the National—moved a step nearer the finals by defeating A. C. McManus, of Greensboro, 4 and 3. McCullough is playing great golf in the opposite side of the draw and easily could meet Chapman in the finals.

Outstanding first round results: Skip Alexander, Durham, beat Elmer Ward, New York, 5 and 4; Grover Dillon, Raleigh, beat Francis Van der Peck, Peekskill, N. Y., 7 and 6; Bobby Dunkelberger, High Point, N. C., beat W. O. Rockwood, Princeton, N. J., 1 up on nineteenth; Walter Burkemo, Chicago, beat Randolph, 4 and 3; Henry Russell, Miami, beat Johnny Johnson, Lumberton, N. C., 2 and 1; Frank Strafaci, New York, beat W. R. Goldthrop, of Haddonfield, N. J., 2 and 1.

## Minor League Results

**PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE.**  
Hollywood... 001 020 220—15 0  
San Diego... 000 000 101—3 6 0

**Oshana and Menzies.** Humphries, Oliver (7), Hallberg (8), Dilbeck (9) and Kalked.

**Seattle.**... 103 100 110—11 0  
**Los Angeles.**... 100 000 300—11 1

**Barrett, Windsor (8) and Campbell.**  
Tolara, Coffman (4), Kunk (7), Weiland (9) and Collins.

Portland at Sacramento, postponed, rain.

## Tony Galento's Purse Cleared by Ring Body

X-Rays Show Bruised but Unbroken Hand; Trainer Suspended 60 Days

Tony Galento yesterday was exonerated of charges of quitting to Buddy Baer Tuesday night at Uline's, but it was a flimsy exoneration. X-ray examinations at Casualty Hospital disclosed that Tony's left wasn't broken, as he claimed when he returned to his corner at the end of the six round not to emerge again.

Dr. Francis Allman, however, said that the photos showed an "aggravated condition" of several bones in the hand which could have caused Galento severe pain.

**Purse Is Released.** On the strength of this, the District Boxing Commission, which had ordered Tony's purse withheld, released his share of Tuesday night's \$21,550.16.

At the same time, the Boxing Commission suspended Jimmy Frain for 60 days for removing Galento's gloves, an act in violation of the local boxing laws. Frain's suspension will go into effect in 44 National Boxing Association States.

Galento's purse amounted to \$9,912.50, and it may be the last fight purse he'll ever receive. Tony was an unspoken, badly battered citizen as he and his entourage pulled out of Washington yesterday afternoon.

**Baer to Meet Louis.** Baer, who received his share of the gate immediately after the fight, already had left for New York. Buddy's share amounted to \$5,387. Because of his showing in making Two-Ton Tony quit, Baer has been elected by Mike Jacobs to fight Champion Louis for the heavy-weight title here in May, instead of July.

**'Dot' Kirby Wins Golf Play, Ties Own Club Record.** Augusta, Ga., April 9 (AP).—Duplicating her record-smashing performance of yesterday, Dorothy Kirby, of Atlanta, toured the Augusta Country Club's tough hill course in men's par 72 today to win first place in the fifth women's titleholders' golf tournament with a 54-hole total of 224.

Miss Kirby's three-under women's par final round equaled her own course record established in a yesterday's second round. Her card was 80, 72, 72—224.

In spread-eagling the field, the 1941 Forest Hills titlist finished 18 strokes in front of blonde Helen Sigel, of Philadelphia, who had a 240 total. At 244 and tied for third place were Grace Amory, West Palm Beach, Fla.; Georgia Tainter, Fargo, N. Dak.; and Marion Miley, of Lexington, Ky.

Helen Dettweiler, professional from Washington, D. C., added an 84 to her previous 166 total for a 54-hole score of 250. Mrs. T. E. Schulerberg, Baltimore, finished with an 86 for 264.

**U. of Hawaii's 100-Yard Freestyle Record Holders.** These four coeds from the University of Hawaii set a new 100-yard free-style record of 57.1 seconds in competition with teams from the mainland. Left to right—Jean Kangeter, Katherine Allen, Betty Brown and Babbie Podmore.



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| Cramer, Jr. | 2  | 0  | 0  | 0    | McNair, Jr. | 2  | 0 |
| Wells, Jr.  | 2  | 0  | 0  | 0    | McNair, Jr. | 2  | 0 |
| Cramer, Jr. | 2  | 0  | 0  | 0    | McNair, Jr. | 2  | 0 |
| Pofahl, Jr. | 2  | 1  | 0  | 0    | McNair, Jr. | 2  | 0 |
| Travis, Jr. | 2  | 0  | 0  | 0    | McNair, Jr. | 2  | 0 |
| Berth, Jr.  | 2  | 0  | 0  | 0    | McNair, Jr. | 2  | 0 |
| Archib, Jr. | 2  | 0  | 0  | 0    | McNair, Jr. | 2  | 0 |
| Vernon, Jr. | 2  | 0  | 0  | 0    | McNair, Jr. | 2  | 0 |
| Evans, Jr.  | 4  | 1  | 2  | 0    | McNair, Jr. | 1  | 0 |
| Hudson, Jr. | 2  | 0  | 0  | 0    | McNair, Jr. | 1  | 0 |
| Dean, Jr.   | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0    | McNair, Jr. | 1  | 0 |
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\*Batted for Newhouser in fourth.  
\*Batted for McKain in seventh.

Washington... 0 1 1 0 0 0  
Detroit... 0 0 0 0 0 0

Kenn-Cass (5), Chapman, Travis, Evans, Stainback, McNair, Higgins, Erwin, McCracken, Higgins, Burns batted in—Chapman, Cramer, Two-base hits—Tebbetts, Travis, Sullivan, Bloodworth, Slater, Burns—Case, Sacrifice—Hudson. Double plays—McNair to Gehring to York, Travis to Bloodworth to Vernon, Pofahl to Bloodworth.

Left on base—Washington, 12; Detroit, 8. First base on balls—Detroit, 1; off Newhouser, 6; off McKain, 2. Struck out—By Hudson, 3; by Newhouser, 4. Hits—Off Hudson, 7 in 5 innings; off Dean, 1 in 5 innings; off Newhouser, 4 in 4 innings; off McKain, 3 in 3 innings. Hit by pitched ball—By Hudson (Stainback). Wild pitch—Newhouser. Winning pitcher—Hudson. Losing pitcher—Newhouser.

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# Plans Call for Louis to Meet Buddy Baer Here Next Month

## Champion's Itinerary Switched

**Brown Bomber to Meet Simon in June, Conn in July and Play Golf in August**

By the Associated Press  
St. Louis, April 9.—There was quite a scrambling today of plans that Promoter Mike Jacobs and Buddy Baer had all lined up for the busiest summer a heavy-weight boxing champion has ever faced.

Out of Tony Musto's gallant 9-round stand against Louis here last night, and the way Buddy Baer made roly-poly Tony Galento holler "Uncle!" in Washington, came a complete switch in the line-up. The way things stand now, here is how Jacobs and Louis' managers tentatively have agreed to go on with Joe's fight a month campaign:

1. Buddy Baer, in Washington, in May.
2. Ample Abraham Simon, originally the May opponent, in a rematch of a 13-round go with the Bomber in Detroit, in June, in New York.
3. Billy Conn, the light-heavyweight king, whose chances were helped considerably by Joe's poor showing last night, in July, probably in New York.
4. Old Man Par in August, because Joe wants a month off to play golf, especially in a tournament he's arranging for his dude ranch in Michigan.
5. Lou Nova, conqueror of Max Baer and given a good chance by many to dethrone Lewis, in September.

With the \$17,488.32 he collected for last night's not-so-hot showing, along with what he picked up in his four previous monthly trips to the post, it begins to look like Joe probably will keep the wolf from the door with this year's earnings. The Conn and Nova doings are expected to go over \$200,000 each and the others are looked to get into six figures without much trouble.

Of course, the fight game has learned long before this that the best-laid plans along scrambled car alley are no worse than even money with those of mice and men. One of these scheduled rivals might very easily park a "Sunday punch" on Joe's whiskers and toss the whole set-up into the ash can. It could conceivably happen after the way Joe looked last night, which was about \$4 less than a ball of fire.

## 'Y' Swimmers Beat Baltimoreans, 37-29

Winding up their dual competition preparatory to entering the national championships, the Y. M. C. A. senior swimmers won their second meet from the Baltimore Y. M. H. A. in the local pool last night, 37 to 29.

The victory gives the Y boys a record of 11 victories out of 13 meets and four team championships. The team will be honored at a send-off Monday night at 8 o'clock in the "Y" building.

**50-YARD FREE STYLE**—First, J. Miller (Y); second, J. Fidler (B); third, A. Kusan (B). Time, 20.4.  
**100-YARD BREAST STROKE**—First, S. Holland (Y); second, B. Rosenstein (Y); third, B. Bruce (W). Time, 3:09.4.

**100-YARD FREE STYLE**—First, H. Palmer (Y); second, B. Becker (W); third, S. Holland (Y). Time, 2:34.5.  
**100-YARD BACK STROKE**—First, D. Weiner (Y); second, L. Munnell (Y); third, C. Lind (Y). Time, 2:22.2.

**100-YARD FREE STYLE RELAY**—First, B. Becker (Y); second, L. Munnell (Y); third, P. Neff (W). Time, 1:01.6.  
**FANCY DIVING (low board)**—First, M. Martin (Y); second, C. Kress (W); third, B. Kellie (B). Winner's points, 63.3.

**515-YARD MEDLEY RELAY**—Won by Washington (Becker, Neff, Palmer, Miller). Time, 1:55.6.

**150-YARD FREE STYLE RELAY**—Won by Baltimore (Weiner, Rosenstein, Adler). Time, 1:38.9.

Final score—Washington "Y," 37; Baltimore "Y," 29.

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## Top Pro Stars Play Benefit Here Today

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a partner in the quartet starting at 2 p. m., while the other pairing will be the longest hitter in the Nation and the longest hitter locally, Jimmy Thomson and Cliff Spencer. Ferrier was the only one to put in an appearance at Chevy Chase yesterday, the others having notified the committee they would be in either late last night or early this morning.

The big Australian practiced several hours on the tee and putting green. He plans to leave immediately after the match for Chicago and his debut as a club professional. He resigned his amateur standing last month, and will be forced to give up writing golf news for two Australian newspapers, due to a lack of time.

Ferrier spent the winter in Florida and played in only three tournaments on the circuit. He organized a British relief match in Del Ray Beach, a town without a daily newspaper, and with Charley Penna, Bobby Cruickshank and Johnny Farrell made \$207 for the fund, with practically no publicity.

Ferrier and Smith took part in a golf clinic at the University of Baltimore Tuesday night. Heafner will be making his debut before local fans. In a comparatively short time he has gained a place among the top golf stars and has quite a reputation as a colorful character as well as a long-hitter with a good golf game.

Sarazen, Smith and Thomson are newcomers to local golf matches but they are always welcome additions to any tournament. Dawson, better known nationally than locally, is one of the top-notch simon-pures in the country.

The Chevy Chase course will offer a severe test to the big-time golfers as Dick Watson reports the par layout is in exceptionally good condition for this time of year.

The tee markers will be pushed way back.

The committee of Robert Stead, Jr., Alan Burton, Russ Holbeaugh and George Faudt completed arrangements yesterday. Maj. J. B. Patterson and Commander C. J. Moore will have charge of the galleries.

The entire proceeds will be turned over to the society. The professionals are all donating their services, with their expenses being paid by their sponsors. Tickets are \$1.

**Nats Again Beat Detroit Tigers**

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less ball. The Nats taking a 4-2 lead meanwhile.

Al Evans beat out a hit to Higgins to set a run in motion in the fourth, and the same kind of a hit by Case moved him to third after Hudson sacrificed. He scored while the game was grounding out. In the fifth the Nats got a run very speedily. Cecil Travis greeted Hal McKain with a long double to left and then Bloodworth scored him with the game's longest blow, a two-bagger against the left center wall.

In the sixth, Ben Chapman's single to center led to another Washington run. Travis and Bloodworth singled to center to fetch him home.

Hudson gave up a run in the fifth after hitting Stainback. He pitched a single to McCosky, and Stainback scored while Gehring was hitting into a double play.

Big Jim Dean pitched the last two innings for Washington and held the two-run lead. The Tigers didn't get a ball out of the infield in the sixth, and in the seventh, Dean escaped damage after Sullivan led off with a double. Jimmy Fohl grabbed Stainback's line drive and rifled it to Bloodworth at second for a double play before Sullivan could get back to the bag.

**Scores**  
COLLEGE BASEBALL  
Manhattan, 2; Princeton, 0.  
Rutgers, 7; Trinity, 2.  
Army, 2; Lafayette, 1.  
Wabash, 3; St. Joseph's (Ind.), 2.  
Yonkers Tech, 4; Van Meters, 1.  
South Carolina, 15; Pittsburgh, 3.  
Valentine-Furman, postponed, rain.  
William and Mary, 4; Virginia, 2.  
Navy, 14; Penn., 1.  
Northwestern, 7; Tulane, 2.  
Villanova, 4; Lehigh, 3.  
Duke, 1; Davidson, 1.  
Elon, 0; Catawba, 3.  
Lenoir Rhyne, 11; Appalachian, 4.

COLLEGE TENNIS  
Westchester, 3; Catholic University, 1.  
North Carolina, 3; N. C. State, 0.  
Trinity, 5; Davidson, 4.  
Muhlenberg, 5; W. and L., 4.  
Muhlenberg, 5; W. and L., 4.

COLLEGE TRACK  
North Carolina, 211; Princeton, 35.  
Baker University, 50; Washburn, 36.  
Fort Hays State, 107; Stirling, 151.

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## Old Dominion Dog Show Entry Blanks Ready

Premium lists and entry blanks for the Old Dominion Kennel Club's annual dog show in Alexandria can now be obtained from club members, veterinarian offices and at 712 Twelfth Street Northwest, it was announced yesterday.

The April 26 show, which will draw over 1,000 entries from throughout the East, will be the only American Kennel Club licensed all-breed show to be held in this section this spring and will be staged all day at the Municipal Ballpark in Alexandria.

If you have a purebred pooch, you can enter him without going through the red tape of showing that he's registered. The canine doesn't even have to have a pedigree, Raymond L. Scaggs, of Upper Marlboro, bench show committee chairman, said. Closing date for entries is April 19.

**C. U. Netmen Lose To Westchester, 8 to 1**

Catholic University netmen bowed to Westchester State Teachers, 8 to 1, yesterday on the Columbia Country Club courts. C. U.'s only winning match was a doubles victory taken by Dorsavage and Murphy over Messick and Kerber, 6-1, 4-6, 6-2.

**SINGLES**  
Owen (W.) defeated Dorsavage, 6-3, 6-4.  
Messick (W.) defeated Schulman, 6-3, 6-1, 12-10.

Kerber (W.) defeated Murphy, 6-0, 6-0.  
Zeldin (W.) defeated Joers, 6-0, 6-0.  
Oahle (W.) defeated Linahan, 6-3, 6-2.

**DOUBLES**  
Dorsavage and Murphy (C. U.) defeated Messick and Kerber, 6-1, 4-6, 6-2.  
Owen and Zeldin (W.) defeated Schulman and Linahan, 7-5, 6-1.

Gardner and Gable (W.) defeated Joers and Calico, 6-1, 6-1.

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## Bill Feiker Scores Ace At Kenwood

The Feiker family foursome received an unexpected thrill yesterday at Kenwood when William, playing with his father, Frederick, and two brothers, Fred, Jr., and George, knocked in a hole in one on the sixth hole.

Young William used a No. 4 wood for the perfect shot on the difficult par 3 hole. It was his first hole in one.

**COLUMBIA**  
Ray Swearingen, one of Columbia's low-handicapped members, holed a full brassie shot for an eagle two on the tenth hole, and just missed holing a full No. 3 iron for a deuce on the ninth.

Earle Skinker and Seth Collinge were members of the threesome. Swearingen posted a 72 for the round but Collinge was one better, leaving Skinker as the victim. The deuce was one of the few ever scored on the tenth and if his shot had rolled just three more inches on the ninth it would have been an unheard-of feat.

Two familiar figures returned to Columbia yesterday, Sandy Armour, passing through from Florida to Chicago for a visit with Fred McLeod and W. W. Hinshaw, the senior golfer and former opera singer, who is McLeod's daily golfing companion through the summer.

**G. U. G. W. PLAY**  
Georgetown University's golf team, missing three of its star players, will meet Pennsylvania, an Eastern League team, in an unofficial match today over the Bannockburn course. Coach Tony Sylvester will press grider-diamonder Lou Ghecas into service as a golfer for the first time in competition.

Two of the boys are out of town and another is sick so Tony will have only a skeleton team for today and Saturday's match with Navy.

George Washington linksmen will meet Western Maryland tomorrow at Kenwood, playing their first match under their new coach, host Pro George Diefenbaugh.

**Episcopal Net Team Routs Devitt, 5 to 0**

Devitt Prep's tennis team took a trip to Alexandria yesterday and came away the victims of a 5-0 rout by Episcopal High. Hickerson, one of Devitt's standouts, was playing with an injured hand.

**SINGLES**  
Weems (Episcopal) defeated Grimm (Devitt), 6-2, 6-3.  
Gamble (Episcopal) defeated Hickerson (Devitt), 6-2, 6-3.  
Sackett (Episcopal) defeated Shapiro (Devitt), 6-3, 6-2.  
Grimm (Episcopal) defeated Owen (Devitt), 6-0, 6-2.

**DOUBLES**  
Weems and Sackett (Episcopal) defeated Grimm and Shapiro, 6-1, 6-3.

## Ernie Dusek To Wrestle Bockwinkle

Ernie Dusek, the Nebraska Wildcat, will face a tough task tonight at Turner's Arena. Ernie goes against Warren (Flash) Bockwinkle, of St. Louis, in the feature match.

While Ernie last week was "shooting the works" in order to win in 38½ minutes from Lou Plummer, Bockwinkle in a semi-windup role whipped Ernie's big brother, Rudy, in 27. Ernie had to pull a page from Jimmy London's book by executing an airplane spin against Plummer, but in the end it was the body slam that turned the trick.

Emil Dusek, next in age to Rudy, will be on the card, facing Len Macaluso, former Colgate all-American fullback star, in a semi-windup. Macaluso is headed for a top role, as attested by his wrestling here the last few months.

The Green Hornet, a hooded figure in emerald, will engage Fred (Legs) Grobmer, who looks like a spider moving about his web when he clamps his huge legs around opponents.

Plummer will return to engage Milo Steinborn, the strong man. Gama Parker, bronzed newcomer, who made a big hit last week, will take on Carl Gray.

First match is at 8:30.

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## Bees-Browns' Game Rained Out

Kansas City, Mo., April 9 (AP).—Washed out of the rubber game in the exhibition series with the St. Louis Browns, Manager Casey Stengel shifted plans tonight for his Boston Bees' pitching schedule for the remaining pre-season games with other clubs.

Wesley Ferrell, still striving to prove he can make a comeback, will be given the starting assignment against the Boston Red Sox in the first intra-city game at the Bee Field in Boston Saturday, with Manuel Salvo on hand to split the hurling chores with him.

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# Dodgers Beat Yankees Third Time; Peewee Reese Hurt

## Cubs Stop Chisox; Reds Win

Medwick Hits Two Homers for Dodgers; Cards Forced Into 12 Innings for Victory

By the Associated Press  
Baltimore, April 9.—Joe Medwick hit two home runs and Pete Reiser smacked one today as the Brooklyn Dodgers ran their string of exhibition victories to ten with a 5-to-2 triumph over the New York Yankees, their third straight over the former world champions.

The Dodgers got a bad scare when Peewee Reese caught his spikes in home plate while sliding in the fifth inning and hurt his left foot, the same one in which he broke a bone last season. X-ray pictures showed he suffered only a slight sprain, however, and would be ready for the opening of the season.

Both Yankee runs were homers by Twink Selkirk, who broke up Kirby Higbe's shutout in the seventh and then jabbed Kemp Wicker for the other in the ninth.

After the game the Yankee and Dodger second stringers teamed up to beat the Baltimore Orioles, 7 to 1, in a seven-inning game, with Ernie Bonham and Atley Donald, lame back pitchers of the Yankees, holding the Orioles to two hits.

At Baltimore, Md. (first game). R. H. E.  
New York (A.) ..... 000 000 101—2 7 1  
Brooklyn ..... 000 211 102—5 11 1

Peck, Stancou (8) and Dickie; Hilde, Wicker (9) and Owen. R. H. E.  
New York (A.) ..... 000 000 101—2 7 1  
Baltimore (Int.) ..... 000 001 0—1 9 0

Donham, Donald (8) and Silvestri; Phelps, Spritzer, Midkiff (7) and Howell.

**Cubs Win Homerun**  
**Battle With Chisox, 15-11**

Amarillo, Tex., April 9 (AP).—Chicago's Cubs and the White Sox engaged in another battle of home runs today, getting 9 between them as the National League won, 15 to 11.

Billy Herman paced the Cubs with three homers and drove in eight runs. Other Cubs hitting for the circuit were Lou Novickoff and Bill Nicholson. Connecting for the Sox were Bill Knickerbocker, Moose Solters, Joe Kubel and Pitcher Jack Hallett.

At Amarillo, Tex. R. H. E.  
Chicago (N.) ..... 001 202 031—15 12 1  
Chicago (A.) ..... 102 201 112—11 19 4

Olsen, Pressnell (4) and George; Humphries, Hallett (5) and Trach.

**Reds Spotty in 9-7**  
**Victory Over Red Sox**

Cincinnati, April 9 (AP).—The Cincinnati Reds played like rookies then champions, today and with a seven-run eighth inning attack turned apparent defeat into a 9-7 victory over Boston's Red Sox in a pre-season bow before the home-folks.

Johnny Vander Meer's wildness set the stage for early Beantown scoring. Wicks to Don DiMaggio and Lou Finney haunted him in the first as both scored on Joe Cronin's single. In the fifth, with DiMaggio safe on Harry Craft's error, Finney walked again and both romped home on Jimmie Fox's terrific clout over the left field wall.

The visiting sluggers added two more tallies in the seventh amid a barrage of four hits. Johnny Hutchings took over in the eighth and the Reds evened matters by getting to Joe Dobson for five of their seven runs, then clinched the attack as Jim Gleason hit Cecil Hughes' first pitch into right field bleachers to score behind Bobby Mattick.

At Cincinnati. R. H. E.  
Boston (A.) ..... 200 030 200—7 10 2  
Cincinnati ..... 000 101 070—9 12 1

Dobson, Hughes (8) and Prytz; Vander Meer, Hutchings (8), Gleason (9) and Lombardi, Baker.

**Cards Beat Fort Worth**  
**In 12 Innings, 12-6**

Fort Worth, Tex., April 9 (AP).—A 6-run splurge in the twelfth gave the St. Louis Cardinals a 12-to-6 victory over Fort Worth today.

The Texas Leaguers made it tough from the start, took an early lead and held the Cardinals without a hit until Martin Marion's fifth-inning single drove home Gus Mancuso with the major leaguers' first score.

At Fort Worth, Tex. R. H. E.  
St. Louis (N.) ..... 000 010 006—12 15 3  
F. Worth (Tex.) ..... 200 001 201 000—6 12 8

Warneke, Nahem (10), Gornicki (12); Mancuso, Cooper, Greer, Callahan (4), Parrish (9) and Linton.

**Phillie Score 12-4**  
**Rout at Winston Salem**

Winston-Salem, N. C., April 9 (AP).—The Phillies blasted out 15 hits, five of them of the four-base variety, to down the Winston-Salem team of the Piedmont League today, 12 to 4.

Nick Etten started the scoring in the first inning with a homer that scored Marty ahead of him. Nagel opened the Phil's fourth frame with another four-bagger. Marnie duplicated the feat to start the seventh inning for the National Leaguers, and in the same inning Mueller hit over the "right-of-the-fence" fence to score Nagle and Warren, who had walked.

At Winston-Salem, N. C. R. H. E.  
Philadelphia ..... 100 100 010—12 15 3  
Winston-Salem (Pied.) ..... 011 020 000—4 12 9

Podgorny, Jones (8) and Livingston, Warren, Millard, Gentry, Fox (7), Oberbauer (9) and Travis, Severide.

## End of Wilson Splurge in Public School Diamond Opener



Nino Briscuso, Wilson High pitcher, put everything he had into this slide into home in the third inning of yesterday's interhigh opener with Anacostia, but the try was futile. Catcher Gene Crawford clearly tagged him out as he attempted to score from second on Eddie Polhamus' single. The out ended a 3-run Wilson spree. Anacostia finally got a thrilling 6-5 victory.

## Giants Beat Indians, 6 to 3; Danning Stars

Bluefield, W. Va., April 9 (AP).—Harry Danning celebrated his return to the catching position by lining out two home runs which gave the New York Giants a 6-to-3 triumph today over the Cleveland Indians.

Donning his mask after a long trial in left field, Danning smashed for the circuit in the first inning with the bases empty, and in the fifth stanza with Outfielder Johnny Rucker ahead of him. Rucker also was on base when Morrie Aronovich lifted one over center field wall in the third inning.

The three homers all were against Lefty Al Smith, who hurled for the Giants before he was waived out of the National League three years ago. Smith and his successor, Harry Eisenstat, were loughed for seven hits—two more than the Indians got off Harry Gumbert and Bob Bowman.

The victory was the second for the Giants in the nine spring games played this far by the touring rivals.

At Bluefield, W. Va. R. H. E.  
Cleveland ..... 030 001 000—3 5 2  
New York (N.) ..... 112 020 006—6 7 2

Smith, Eisenstat (7) and Hensley; Gumbert, Bowman (8) and Danning.

**Rodak Decisions**  
**Sluggers White**  
**In Baltimore**

By the Associated Press  
Baltimore, April 9.—Leo Rodak, Chicago, won a decision over Slugger White, New York lightweight, in a ten-round feature bout at the Coliseum tonight. Both weighed in at 134 pounds.

The Sluggers perturbed by a pre-fight squabble between his manager, had an "off" night and missed many punches. In the later rounds Referee Eddie Leonard warned him repeatedly for butting and rough tactics.

Rodak finished the match with blood flowing from a cut over his eye. On official voted the match a draw.

## Anacostia Nine Wins Interhigh Thriller, 6-5

Ninth-Inning Rally Beats Wilson Despite Hillock's Homer

By Bill Burnett

Almost everything that goes to make up a thrill-packed ball game went into the first tangle of the 1941 interhigh baseball series yesterday at Anacostia High as the hosts, underdogs as usual, snared a 6-5 verdict over Woodrow Wilson.

Perennially boasting the most "upsetting" athletic squads in town, the Indians finally won after these exciting events:

1. They plowed themselves out of deficits of 3-0 and 4-1 at various stages of the game, with a tying three-run barrage in the seventh inning.

2. Don Hillock, string-bean Wilson first baseman, slammed the only home run hit in the two years of play at the new Anacostia Park in the upper half of the ninth, giving the Tigers a 5-to-4 edge. The ball sailed approximately 400 feet, clearing by 10 feet a 12-foot fence, the base of which is 325 feet from home plate.

3. Joe Sorel, who hadn't hit previously, sent home Elmer Leukhardt, who had singled and stolen second to start the Indians' ninth, tying the count at 3 to 3.

4. Gene Nunnally, gangly Indian starting pitcher, won his own ball game with a one-base blow that sent Sorel romping across the plate after two were out in the ninth.

That screaming drive by Hillock, whose appearance leads one to believe a breeze would knock him down, was easily the feature of the game. And it capped an excellent all-around performance.

Long Don worked Nunnally for walks his first three times at bat, slammed a clean single to right the fourth, then homered. In addition he handled 14 putouts and an assist at first with one excusable error.

Sorel's tying single might have been anticipated by Wilson. It was the same swarthy youngster who, during the Indians' cage schedule, went scoreless all season, only to break his streak with a foul shot in the third extra period of a critical game with the Tigers.

## St. Albans Releases 14 Match Net Card

St. Albans School yesterday released a 14-match tennis schedule, the first match of which, will be played April 14 against St. Johns. Play will be in both the Interstate Academic Conference and Private School League.

April 14, St. John's, at St. Albans; 16, Landon School, at Landon; 18, Devitt School, at St. Albans; 19, "Baltimore Friends, at St. Albans; 22, "Gonzaga, at St. Albans; 23, Gilman School, at Gilman; 26, Western High School, at St. Albans.

May 1, "Hidwell Friends School, at St. Albans; 2, Woodberry Forest School, at Woodberry Forest; 7, "St. James School, at St. Albans; 10, "Georgetown Preparatory, at Garrett Park; 12, Roosevelt High School, at St. Albans; 14, Episcopal High School, at St. Albans; 17, "St. Andrew's School, at St. Andrew's.

\*Interstate academic conference match. \*Private school tennis league match.

## Bob Jones III, To Make Golf Tourney Debut

By the Associated Press  
Atlanta, April 9.—Fifteen-year-old Bobby Jones III, son of the former grand-slam champion of golf, will make his tournament debut in the annual Southern Prep and High School Meet, at Chattanooga, Tenn., a few weeks hence.

Weighing nearly 100 pounds and standing about 6 feet tall, young Bobby already is larger than his famed father.

Explained Bob Jones, Jr., about his son's game:

"He hits the ball a long way getting to the green and he still hits it a long way after he gets there."

## Squash Tourney Reaches Semifinals

Paced by Edward K. Adelsheim, No. 1 seeded player, all four favorites in the D. C. A. A. U. Squash Racquets Championships reached the semifinals yesterday at the Y. M. C. A.

Adelsheim defeated Howard B. Hagen, 15-8, 15-8, 15-1. Other matches saw Lieut. T. J. Hamilton beat Dr. J. Donoghue, 15-13, 15-8, 15-8; R. H. James down Raoul Blumberg, 15-3, 15-1, 15-3; and Nat Rogg turn back Commodore

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Anacostia ..... 0 0 1 0 0 3 0 2—6

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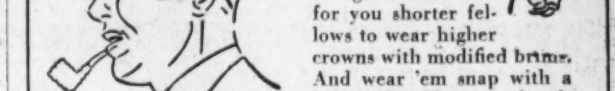
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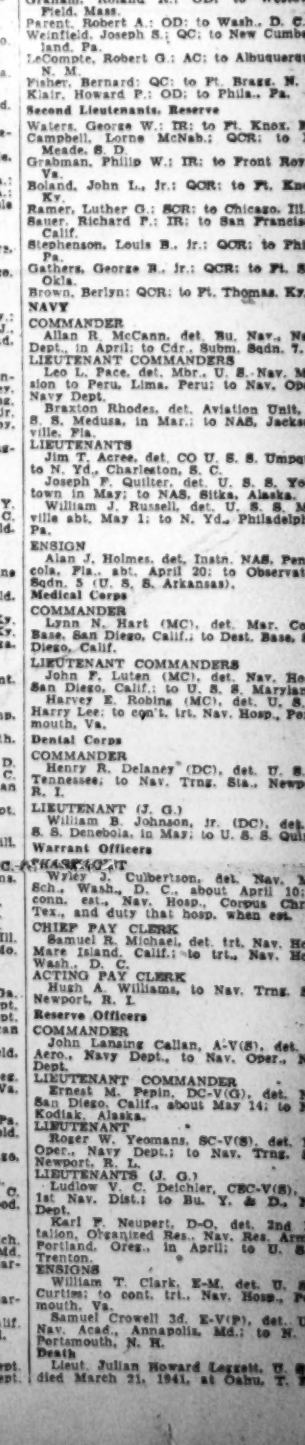




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|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>F. E. Ghiselli<br/>Dies; Masonic<br/>Rites Friday</b> | <b>Gen. Gibbins<br/>Dies Here at 63<br/>In Hospital</b> |
|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------|

William T. Clark, E-M. det. U. S. Navy, to cont. trl. Nav. Hosp., Portsmouth, Va.  
 Samuel Crowell 3d, E-V(P), det. U. S. Navy, Acad., Annapolis, Md.; to N. Portsmouth, N. H.

**Death**  
 Lieut. Julian Howard Leggett, U. S. Navy, died March 21, 1941, at Oahu, T. H.









## New York Curb Stocks

| By the Associated Press                 |       | Sales in hundreds. |                  | High  | Low   | Close |
|-----------------------------------------|-------|--------------------|------------------|-------|-------|-------|
| Total stock sales today, 88,000 shares. |       | 4 1/2              | Vulture Air      | 5 1/4 | 5 1/4 | 5 1/4 |
| Year ago, 260,217 shares.               |       | W                  |                  |       |       |       |
| Sales in hundreds                       |       | 1                  | Waco Air         | 3 1/4 | 3 1/4 | 3 1/4 |
|                                         | High  | 1                  | Wellington Oil   | 1 1/4 | 1 1/4 | 1 1/4 |
|                                         | Low   | 8                  | West Air Lines   | 3 1/4 | 3 1/4 | 3 1/4 |
|                                         | Close | 2                  | Wright H (h.40a) | 3 1/4 | 3 1/4 | 3 1/4 |

|      |             |        |     |      |      |                                            |
|------|-------------|--------|-----|------|------|--------------------------------------------|
| 1    | Air Inv cv  | pl.... | 22% | 22%  | 22%  | an unlisted trading basis.                 |
| 2.50 | Allied Prod | (1)... | 16  | 16   | 16   | Rates of dividends in the foregoing table. |
| 2    | Alum Co Am  | (1)... | 137 | 136% | 136% | are annual disbursements based on the law. |

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|--------------------------|----|----|----|---------------------|------|-----|-------|
| 1. Atlas Corp war...     | 15 | 15 | 15 | Sales in thousands. | High | Low | Close |
| 1. Atlas Ply (1 1/2).... | 15 | 15 | 15 |                     |      |     |       |
| 1. Atlantic Gen Affs.    |    |    |    |                     |      |     |       |

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| 11. Breeze Corp (1c)     | 7 1/4 | 7 | 7 1/4 | 29 Cit 8 P&L 5 1/2 '49 | 96 1/2 | 96 | 96 1/2 |
| 10. Brewster Aero (1/2c) | 8 1/4 | 8 | 8 1/4 | 69 Cit 8 Fow 5 1/2 '52 | 96 1/2 | 96 | 96 1/2 |
| 2. Brown F & W....       | 2     | 2 | 2     | 15 Crown 3 1/2 '52     | 96 1/2 | 96 | 96 1/2 |

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| 1 Cleve Tract .....  | 4 1/2 | 4 1/2 | 4 1/2 |
| 7 Club Al Uten ..... | 1 1/2 | 1 1/2 | 1 1/2 |
| 2 Colum O & G .....  | 1 1/2 | 1 1/2 | 1 1/2 |

|                    |     |         |     |     |
|--------------------|-----|---------|-----|-----|
| 10 1/2 C P&L 3 1/2 | '65 | 106 1/4 | 108 | 108 |
|--------------------|-----|---------|-----|-----|

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| 1        | Comwells D (0.98)   | 11% | 11% | 2%  |
| 2        | Compo S M etc (1)   | 21% | 11% | 11% |
| 3        | Coms & W (1)        | 21% | 11% | 11% |
| 4        | Coms Baccus (3.06)  | 21% | 21% | 2%  |
| 5        | 4C OdeR Lat (0.96)  | 69% | 69% | 69% |
| 6        | Coms Corp (1.06)    | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 7        | 1Cont Roll & Sil... | 6%  | 6%  | 6%  |
| 8        | Cooper-Bess (3.06)  | 7%  | 7%  | 7%  |
| 9        | Coms Corp (1.06)    | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 10       | 1Crown C Pet (0.06) | 2   | 2   | 2   |
| 11       | 1Crown De (0.06)    | 2   | 2   | 2   |
| 12       | 1Cuban A (0.06)     | 6   | 5%  | 6   |
| <b>D</b> |                     |     |     |     |
| 1        | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 4%  | 4%  | 4%  |
| 2        | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 3        | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 4        | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 5        | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 6        | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 7        | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 8        | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 9        | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
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| 11       | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 12       | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 13       | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 14       | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
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| 34       | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
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| 37       | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
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| 40       | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 41       | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 42       | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 43       | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 44       | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 45       | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 46       | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 47       | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 48       | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 49       | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 50       | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 51       | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 52       | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 53       | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 54       | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 55       | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 56       | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 57       | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 58       | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 59       | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 60       | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 61       | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 62       | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
| 63       | 1Darby Pet (0.06)   | 21% | 21% | 21% |
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| 1  | Derby Oil          | 194  | 194  | 194  |
| 2  | Dubiler Cond.(38E) | 21a  | 21a  | 21a  |
|    | E                  |      |      |      |
| 3  | Peo G L&C 4 '61D.  | 103a | 103a | 103a |
| 4  | IPorild G&C 5 '40  | 97a  | 97a  | 97a  |
| 14 | Pug Ad Pol. 31a    | 101a | 101a | 101a |

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|-------------------------|----|--------|----|---------------------|------|--------|--------|
| 10 Glen Ald Coal (1/4E) | 9  | 8 1/2  | 9  | 21 Wisc P&L 4' 66A  | 100% | 100%   | 100%   |
| 5 Goldfield Con         | 10 | 10     | 10 | <b>F</b>            |      |        |        |
| 2 Pied Hy-El 6 1/2'     | 10 | 10 1/2 | 10 | 2 Pied Hy-El 6 1/2' | 60A  | 18 1/2 | 18 1/2 |

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|----|-----------------------------------|-------|--------|-------|--|
| 14 | IGUIN B Brew                      | 30    | 29 1/2 | 30    |  |
| 30 | 5 Gulf Oil (1).....               | 30    | 29 1/2 | 30    |  |
| 1  | 1 <sup>st</sup> NatCarAmB (800)   | 5 1/4 | 5 1/4  | 5 1/4 |  |
| 1  | 1 <sup>st</sup> Hazetline (30)    | 2 1/4 | 2 1/4  | 2 1/4 |  |
| 2  | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Bapf (200)        | 2 1/4 | 2 1/4  | 2 1/4 |  |
| 3  | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Heca Min (200)    | 2 1/4 | 2 1/4  | 2 1/4 |  |
| 2  | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Holophone (300)   | 1 3/4 | 1 3/4  | 1 3/4 |  |
| 1  | 1 <sup>st</sup> Barm & Hard (10)  | 5 1/4 | 5 1/4  | 5 1/4 |  |
| 4  | 4 <sup>th</sup> Bumble Oil (100)  | 5 1/4 | 5 1/4  | 5 1/4 |  |
| 1  | 1 <sup>st</sup> Hum-Ron (150)     | 5 1/4 | 5 1/4  | 5 1/4 |  |
| 4  | 4 <sup>th</sup> IowaPow die (1)   | 4 1/4 | 4 1/4  | 4 1/4 |  |
| 3  | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Imp Oil Ind (1/4) | 6 1/4 | 6 1/4  | 6 1/4 |  |

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|--------------------|-------|-------|-------|---------------------------|-----|
| 13 Int Indust      | 1%    | 1 1/4 | 1 1/4 | City & Suburban 5s, 1948  | 106 |
| 13 Int Pap&Pow war | 1%    | 1 1/2 | 1 1/2 | Georgetown G 1st 5s, 1961 | 120 |
| 5 Int Petrol (hl)  | 9 1/2 | 9 3/4 | 9 3/4 | Pot Elec Pwr 3 1/4s, 1966 | 106 |

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|-----------------------|-------|-------|-------|--------------|-----|----|
| 2 (Louis L & E (10g)) | 4 1/2 | 4 1/2 | 4 1/2 | Capitol (16) | 170 | 20 |
| 7 (St Shov)           | 4 3/4 | 4 3/4 | 4 3/4 | Liberty (6)  | 170 |    |
|                       |       |       |       | Lincoln (h5) | 200 |    |

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|--------------------|-------|-------|-------|
| 7) Mount Prod (60) | 5 3/4 | 5 1/2 | 5 3/4 |
| N                  |       |       |       |
| 1) Nat Cont (45)   | 5 3/4 | 5 1/2 | 5 3/4 |

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| 2.7  | Nat'l Pub'g Co (11) | 11 | 11 | 11 | Gardiner (com 70)          | 10  | 1 |
| 2.7  | Nat'l & P Lpf (6)   | 98 | 97 | 98 | Gardner Co cu cv pf (1.50) | 28  | 3 |
| 2.7  | Nat'l Bus Pub'g     | 11 | 11 | 11 | Lanston Monotype (1.00)    | 21  | 2 |
| 2.7  | Nat'l Bus Pub'g     | 11 | 11 | 11 | Lanston Mfg Co (1.00)      | 21  | 2 |
| 2.7  | Nat'l Trans (11)    | 11 | 11 | 11 | Lincoln S 7% pf (3.50)     | 42  | 3 |
| 2.7  | Nat'l & Mgmt        | 11 | 11 | 11 | Margaretville Lino (1.00)  | 20  | 2 |
| 2.7  | NephtumeLm (2)      | 11 | 11 | 11 | Mat. Mfg Co                | 20  | 2 |
| 2.23 | NEP&P A (1a)        | 41 | 41 | 41 | Peoples Dr Co new (1.00)   | 22  | 2 |
| 2.23 | NEP&P A (1b)        | 41 | 41 | 41 | Real Est MAC pf (1.50)     | 64  | 5 |
| 2.23 | NEP&P A (1c)        | 41 | 41 | 41 | Reynolds Bldg              | 20  | 2 |
| 2.23 | N J Zinc (11)       | 65 | 64 | 64 | Ter Ref & Wk Corp (2)      | 47  | 3 |
| 2.23 | New Process (2.23)  | 29 | 29 | 29 | Ward & Loth com (2.00)     | 43  | 3 |
| 2.23 | New Stud Ppf (1)    | 16 | 16 | 16 | Ward & Loth pf (1.00)      | 120 | 9 |
| 2.23 | Nor Am & P (1)      | 15 | 15 | 15 | Wm. Kn-Dividend            | 6   | 0 |
| 2.23 | Nor Sta Ppf (1)     | 15 | 15 | 15 |                            |     |   |

| F                       |       | F     |       | F                                       |  |
|-------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-----------------------------------------|--|
| 10 Pac G&E 6 pf (1 1/2) | 34    | 34    | 34    | (g) \$6.00 extra paid December 28, 1    |  |
| 30 Pantepec Oil Ven..   | 3 1/2 | 3 1/2 | 3 1/2 | (h) \$5.00 extra. (k) 20c extra. (m) \$ |  |
|                         |       |       |       | extra. (n) \$1.00 paid September 30,    |  |

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|----------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| 11Pennrod (20e)      | 2%  | 2%  | 2%  |
| 12Pac-Acct Air (10e) | 11% | 11% | 11% |
| 13Polaris TWR (40e)  | 5%  | 5%  | 5%  |
| 14Phoenix Bk         | 5%  | 5%  | 5%  |
| 15Primer-Boss (40e)  | 6%  | 6%  | 6%  |
| 16Rental (40e)       | 6%  | 6%  | 6%  |
| 17Pitts Pl OI (1e)   | 80% | 80% | 80% |
| 18Pough Inc (60e)    | 9%  | 9%  | 9%  |
| 19Rental (40e)       | 9%  | 9%  | 9%  |
| 20Pratt & Lam (10e)  | 19% | 19% | 19% |
| 21Prosperity Co B    | 5   | 5   | 5   |
| 22Pulse Pl P&L Bk pf | 47% | 47% | 47% |

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| 1 Richmond Rad        | 1 1/2 | 1 1/2 | 1 1/2 | Commercial (8)      | 172    |
| 1 Ryan Cons Pet (10c) | 2 1/2 | 2 1/2 | 2 1/2 | Cont Bk & Tr (.80)  | 12 1/2 |
|                       |       |       |       | Corn Exp Bk & T (3) | 45 1/2 |

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| 90 1/4 | 2½ St Pow & Lt       | 19 1/4 | 18 1/4 | 18 1/4 | 18 1/4 |
| 88 1/4 | 2½ StandStSprg (1½c) | 19     | 18 1/2 | 18 1/2 | 18 1/2 |

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|                  | 2 Unit Lt & Pow B.                   | 1 $\frac{1}{8}$  | 1 $\frac{1}{8}$  | 1 $\frac{1}{8}$  | May  | .. | 11.12 | 11.16 | 11.05 | 11.16 | - |
| 48 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 5 Unit Lt & P pf.                    | 25 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 25 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 25 $\frac{3}{4}$ | July | .. | 11.08 | 11.11 | 11.00 | 11.11 | - |
| 56 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 5.25 Unit Shoe M (21 $\frac{1}{2}$ ) | 58 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 57               | 57               | Oct  |    | 11.09 | 11.04 | 12.05 |       |   |

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| 57.7 | 31/3 U S Pol B        | 5 | 4 | 3 | Dec. | 11.01 | 11.04 | 10.93 | 11.04 |
| 57.1 | 11/14 U S Wn Pol      | 1 | 1 | 1 | Jan. | 10.98 | 10.98 | 10.97 | 11.03 |
| 56.5 | 31/3 Univ Cor Pol     | 3 | 3 | 3 | Mar. | 11.02 | 11.04 | 10.93 | 11.04 |
| 56.0 | 41/14 U S S (Sul. 15) | 2 | 2 | 2 |      |       |       |       |       |
| 55.5 | 11/1 Venezuela        | 3 | 3 | 3 |      |       |       |       |       |
| 55.7 |                       |   |   |   |      |       |       |       |       |
| 55.2 |                       |   |   |   |      |       |       |       |       |
| 54.4 |                       |   |   |   |      |       |       |       |       |
| 54.2 |                       |   |   |   |      |       |       |       |       |
| 54.0 |                       |   |   |   |      |       |       |       |       |
| 53.8 |                       |   |   |   |      |       |       |       |       |
| 53.7 |                       |   |   |   |      |       |       |       |       |
| 53.6 |                       |   |   |   |      |       |       |       |       |
| 53.5 |                       |   |   |   |      |       |       |       |       |
| 53.4 |                       |   |   |   |      |       |       |       |       |
| 53.3 |                       |   |   |   |      |       |       |       |       |
| 53.2 |                       |   |   |   |      |       |       |       |       |
| 53.1 |                       |   |   |   |      |       |       |       |       |
| 53.0 |                       |   |   |   |      |       |       |       |       |
| 52.9 |                       |   |   |   |      |       |       |       |       |
| 52.8 |                       |   |   |   |      |       |       |       |       |
| 52.7 |                       |   |   |   |      |       |       |       |       |
| 52.6 |                       |   |   |   |      |       |       |       |       |
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| 33@ | Working balance included          | 2,459,802,485.38 | 2,478,803,747.47 |
|     | Customs receipts for month        | 1,715,052,756.28 | 1,785,697,747.47 |
| No. | Receipts for fiscal year (July 1) | 11,305,180.96    | 6,034,747.47     |

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| Expenditures               | 5,492,474,410.80  | 4,821,970,000.00  |
| Excess of expenditures     | 9,123,851,555.03  | 7,261,067,000.00  |
| Gross debt                 | 3,632,381,147.15  | 2,839,484,000.00  |
| Increase over previous day | 47,160,176,655.71 | 47,894,339,000.00 |
| Gold assets                | 1,235,918.50      |                   |
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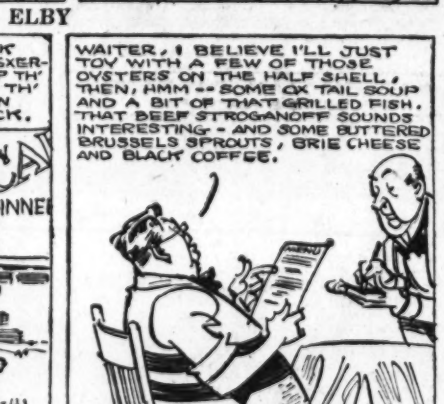
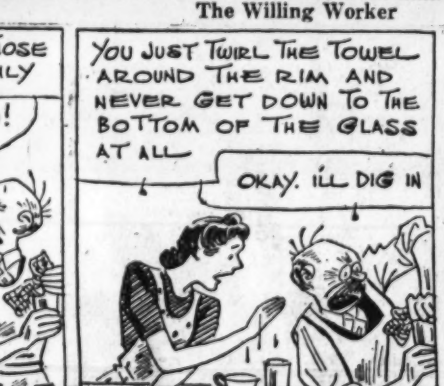
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By Edwin Cox



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## The Post Radio Highlights

1:10 p. m. WRC-Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox makes a Nation-wide talk.

4. WOL-The annual Maundy Thursday service is aired from Forest Lawn Memorial Park, with an address by Dr. Frank Baxter, of the University of Southern California.

9:35. WMAL-"Can We Prevent Higher Living Costs?" asks Edwin W. Kemmerer, Leland Rex Robinson and Donald M. Nelson on the Town Meeting of the Air.

10:30. WRC-Representative Hatton W. Summers (Democrat), of Texas, talks on "Strikes."

10:45. WOL-The Procession of the Knights of the Holy Grail, the Transformation Scene and the Glorification from Richard Wagner's religious drama, "Parsifal," are programmed by Dr. Frederick Stock for the Chicago Symphony.

12. midnight. WJWS-Romina's "Sabat Mater" is played by the Columbia Concert Orchestra, Howard Barlow conducting. Viola Philo and Theresa Gerson, sopranos; William Hain, tenor, and Eugene Lowenthal, baritone, are soloists in this Holy Week hymn first heard 99 years ago.

| Thursday, April 10     | Washington         | Eastern Standard Time |                      |
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| WMAL<br>478M-480KC     | WRC<br>918M-920KC  | WOL<br>223M-1.280KC*  | WJWS<br>208M-1.300KC |
| 8:00-Today's           | Gordon Hittmark    | The Downs             | Arthur Godfrey       |
| 8:15-Prelude           | " "                | Petrol                | " "                  |
| 8:30-News              | " "                | News                  | " "                  |
| 8:45-News              | " "                | Art Brown             | News: Godfrey        |
| 7:00-News: The         | " "                | " "                   | Arthur Godfrey       |
| 7:15-Kibitzers         | " "                | Walter Compton        | Sunshine Reporter    |
| 7:30-Klub              | " "                | Art Brown             | Arthur Godfrey       |
| 7:45-Earl Godwin       | " "                | " "                   | " "                  |
| 8:00-Kibitzers         | News               | " "                   | News                 |
| 8:15-Klub              | Gordon Hittmark    | " "                   | Arthur Godfrey       |
| 8:30-News              | " "                | Walter Compton        | Maple Carpet         |
| 8:45-News              | " "                | Art Brown             | Arthur Godfrey       |
| 9:00-BK's Last Gang    | Betty and Bob      | " "                   | Nancy Dixon          |
| 9:15-Breakfast         | Mary Mason         | " "                   | Charles the Blues    |
| 9:30-Club              | " "                | Mrs. Northcross       | Chantelle            |
| 9:45-News              | " "                | Walter Compton        | Church Hymns         |
| 10:00-News             | This Small Town    | Joan Abbey            | By Kath. Norris      |
| 10:15-The Munro's      | Bachelor's Child   | Morning Serenade      | Myrt and Margie      |
| 10:30-Vagabonds        | Ellen Randolph     | Keep Fit              | Slimphoria           |
| 10:45-W. R. Beattie    | Guiding Light      | Old Fashioned Girl    | Woman of Courage     |
| 11:00-Science          | The Man I Married  | News-Barocovi         | Mary L. Taylor       |
| 11:15-Viennese         | Against the Storm  | Luncheon Music        | Martha Webster       |
| 11:30-Clark Dennis     | Road of Life       | Navy Band             | Big Sister           |
| 11:45-Violins          | David Harum        | " "                   | Ally Jenny           |
| 12:00-Continental      | News               | Conservation          | Kate Smith           |
| 12:15-Betty Randall    | Words and Music    | News-Compton          | Kate Smith           |
| 12:30-National         | Deep Riv. Boys     | Hollywood Reporter    | Kate Smith           |
| 12:45-Farm and         | Devotions          | Rhy's of the Day      | Our Gal Sunday       |
| 1:00-Home Hour         | Music: Sec. Knox   | We Are Young          | " "                  |
| 1:15-Bookends          | Tony Wons          | Edith Adams           | Life Beautiful       |
| 1:30-News              | The Clapper        | Government Girl       | Right to Happ.       |
| 1:45-Mal. Explains     | News: Music        | I'll Find My Way      | Road of Life         |
| 2:00-Originalities     | Light of the World | News: Wakeman         | Dr. Malone           |
| 2:15-Travel Cook       | The Mystery Man    | Tony Wakeman          | Joyce Jordan         |
| 2:30-Marine            | Valiant Lady       | " "                   | Fletcher Wiley       |
| 2:45-Band              | Grimm's Daughter   | " "                   | Home of the Brave    |
| 3:00-Dice Orphans      | Mary Marlin        | News-Compton          | Mary M. McBride      |
| 3:15-Am'nd-a Story     | Ma Perkins         | Tony Wakeman          | Song Treasury        |
| 3:30-John's Wife       | Pepper Young       | " "                   | News: Studio 3       |
| 3:45-Just Plain Bill   | Vic and Sade       | " "                   | Elmer Lee            |
| 4:00-Mother o' M.      | Backstage Wife     | News: Wakeman         | Portia Faces Life    |
| 4:15-News: Music       | Stella Dallas      | Tony Wakeman          | Wa. the Abbotts      |
| 4:30-News: Music       | Loreana Jones      | Johnson Family        | Bess Johnson         |
| 4:45-Edgar Guest       | Widow Brown        | Tony Wakeman          | Kate Hopkins         |
| 5:00-Needle            | Girl Alone         | News-Compton          | The Goldbergs        |
| 5:15-Network           | Lone Journey       | Immy Allen            | The O'Neills         |
| 5:30-Behind News       | Jack Armstrong     | Cocktail Capers       | Gypsy Violins        |
| 5:45-Tom Mix           | Life Beautiful     | Capt. Midnight        | Baines               |
| 8:00-Sports: News      | News: Tunes        | Sports Resume         | News: F. C. Hill     |
| 8:15-Shadow            | Streamliner        | Grayson's Orch.       | News: McDonald       |
| 8:30-Music             | Baukhage           | News-Compton          | News: Sullivan       |
| 8:45-Low. Thomas       | Streamliner        | Synopses              | The World Today      |
| 9:00-Easy Aces         | Fred Waring        | Fulton Wells, Jr.     | Amos 'n' Andy        |
| 9:15-Mr. Kew           | Al Newsroom        | Hare's Morgan         | Lanny Ross           |
| 9:30-Quiz of           | Cugat's Orchestra  | Confidentially        | Vox Pop              |
| 9:45-Two Cities        | With Yvette        | Canter Shapero        | " "                  |
| 10:00-Pot o' Gold      | " "                | " "                   | " "                  |
| 10:15-Tommy Don        | " "                | " "                   | " "                  |
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| 11:00-Living God       | " "                | " "                   | " "                  |
| 11:15-Rochester Or.    | " "                | " "                   | " "                  |
| 11:30-News: The        | " "                | " "                   | " "                  |
| 11:45-Town             | " "                | " "                   | " "                  |
| 12:00-Meeting of       | Rudy Vallee        | " "                   | " "                  |
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| 12:30-Headlines        | " "                | " "                   | " "                  |
| 12:45-Martin's Orch.   | " "                | " "                   | " "                  |
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| 2:00-Wake Up With WINK | " "                | " "                   | " "                  |
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## Daily Cross Word Puzzle

ACROSS

1 Pre-eminent

3 Arabian desert

10 Mince

14 Remedy

15 Shun

16 Wife of Zeus

17 Fresh-water porpoise

18 Performer

20 Ruins

22 Fully aware

24 Handle

26 Roman money

27 A rajah's consort

30 Bulgarian monetary unit

32 Invisorite

36 Very black

37 Wrench

39 Display

40 Embodiment

42 Masculine name

44 Doglike

45 Surround by water

46 Wash by draining

48 Sedile

49 Fourth estate

50 Possessive pronoun

52 The Manx shearwater name

54 Judged

56 Sword-shaped

62 Sturdy

63 Of few words

65 Presentiment

66 Consumer

67 Wont

68 Death: Fr.

69 Appense

70 Drift

71 Hireling

DOWN

1 Cutting

2 A mystery

3 Manager

4 Encourage

5 Billiard stroke

6 A charm

7 Polished

8 Strained

9 Price ring

10 Light four

11 Plant that dies after flowering

12 Spoken

13 Whistle

14 Choler

15 Dried cassia

16 Chances

17 Lefty and towering

18 Opener

19 Silver poplar

20 Undershot

21 Water wheel

22 Without success

23 Nurture

24 Strained in

25 Circumcise

26 Basics

27 The naught

28 Refrigerant

29 A pigment

30 Monotonous

31 Bright

32 Disprove

33 Apply

34 Polon ivy genus

35 Orient

36 Chinese

37 Gadelle

38 Rock of the Bible

39 Laid

40 Grafted; her

41 Beat of con-scientious

42 METALS AMBLED

43 MEXICAN MARINES

44 AMILINE ORIFICE

45 NAGGLES BEGET

46 ACER ARE PERMIT

47 GENIUS AMID AVE

48 ESTOP TRAP USER

49 USAR TERN

50 HAPS LOSE APERS

51 ERR MATH SPINET

52 ABODES OWE NAPE

53 DINER BOARS CAR

54 ETAMINE GELATIN

55 RETINOL ENABORS

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## Grin and Bear It

By Lichty



## Listen!

with Glynn

On his way to Florida from Washington today is a genial gentleman named Elmer Davis, starting out on what decidedly can be called a well-deserved vacation after a five-day delay at Radio Station WJWS.

Mr. Davis, C. B. S.'s distinguished news analyst, really started out on the vacation last Saturday and got as far as Washington before he was halted by urgent messages from New York asking him to postpone the Florida trip. That was because his lucid, authoritative comments on the latest trouble in the Balkans were something that Columbia felt it needed. For whenever a crisis develops, C. B. S. depends on Mr. Davis' vast store of historical, political, sociological and geographical knowledge to bring the chaos of conflicting reports into perspective for "its millions of listeners."

Now the reason Mr. Davis can be said decidedly to deserve a vacation is that for the past two years, with only one other short vacation as an exception, he has been working seven days a week, every week in the year, putting on his nightly "Elmer Davis and the News." That's a chore that no other news analyst even approaches, we believe. In fact, it's two nightly broadcasts, because there's a repeat for the West Coast later.

And while they're only five minutes apiece, he works three or four hours on each of them.

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# Complete Text of Churchill's War Review as Given in House of Commons

## Tone Is Confident Despite Reverses In Africa, Balkans

London, April 9.—Prime Minister Churchill obtained unanimous consent of the House of Commons for a resolution of thanks to the forces in field and workers at home, then proceeded with his war review as follows:

We are now able, and indeed required, to take a more general view of the war than when this resolution of thanks was first conceived.

The loss of Benghazi and the withdrawal of troops upon us by the German incursion into Cirenaica are injurious chiefly on account of the valuable airfields around Benghazi which have now passed into enemy hands.

Apart from this important aspect we should have been content, in view of the danger which was growing in the Balkans, to have halted our original advance at Tobruk.

Ground 'Easily and Cheaply' Won

The rout of the Italians, however, made it possible to gain a good deal of ground easily and cheaply and it was thought worthwhile to do this, although in consequence of other obligations, already beginning to descend upon us, only comparatively light forces could be employed to hold what we had won.

The movement of German air forces and armored troops from Italy and Sicily to Tripoli had begun even before we took Benghazi and our submarines and aircraft have taken a steady toll of the transports carrying the German troops and vehicles.

But that has not prevented, and could not prevent, their building up a strong armored force on the African shore.

I cannot attempt to forecast what the course of the fighting in Cirenaica will be. It is clear, however, that military considerations alone must guide our general, and that these must not in any way be complicated by what are called prestige-values or considerations for public opinion.

Now that the Germans are using their armored strength in Cirenaica we must expect hard and severe fighting, not only for the defense of Egypt but for the defense of the Nile.

It is fortunate that the Italian collapse in Eritrea, Ethiopia and British and Italian Somaliland is liberating progressively very substantial forces and masses of transport to reinforce the army of the Nile.

**African Campaign Reviewed**

This sudden darkening of the scene in Cirenaica in no way detracts from the merits of the brilliant campaigns which have destroyed the Italian Empire in north East Africa.

A fortnight ago I warned the public that an unbroken continuance of success could not be hoped for that reverses as well as victories must be expected; that we must be ready as, indeed we always are ready, to take the rough with the smooth.

Since I used this language other notable episodes have been added to those that had gone before. Cheren was stormed after hard fighting which cost us about 4,000 casualties.

The main resistance of the Italian army in Eritrea was overcome. Foremost in this fighting in Eritrea were our Indian troops, who at all points and on all occasions sustained the martial reputation of the sons of Hindustan.

After the fall of Cheren the army advanced. Asmara has surrendered, the post of Massaua is in our hands. The Red Sea is being virtually cleared of enemy warships, which is a matter of considerable and even far-reaching convenience. Harar has fallen and our troops have entered and taken charge of Addis Ababa.

The Duke of Aosta's army has retreated into the mountains where it is being attended upon by the patriot forces of Ethiopia. The complete destruction or capture of all Italian forces in Abyssinia with corresponding immediate relief to our operations elsewhere, may be reasonably expected.

Besides these land operations the Royal Navy under Admiral Cunningham, splendidly aided by the fleet arm and the R. A. F., have gained the important sea battle of Matapan decisively breaking Italian naval power in the Mediterranean.

**A Brighter Picture**

When we look back upon the forlorn position in which we were left in the Middle East by the French collapse, and when we remember that not only were our forces in the Nile valley outnumbered by four or five to one by the Italian armies, but that we could not contemplate without anxiety the defense of Nairobi, or Kartoum, or Cairo, Alexandria, Jerusalem and the Suez Canal, and that this situation has been marvelously transformed; that we have taken more Italian prisoners than we had troops in the country, that the British Empire has fought alone and conquered alone except for the aid of the gallant Free French and Belgian forces who, although few in number, have borne their part when all this is recalled amid the unrelenting pressure of events, I feel confident that I can commit this resolution of the House, and that it will be most heartily and enthusiastically acclaimed.

I now turn from Zirenaica and Abyssinia (Ethiopia) to the formidable struggle which has followed the German invasion of the Balkan peninsula.

We have watched with growing concern the German absorption of Hungary, the occupation of Rumania, the reduction and occupation of Bulgaria.

**Greeks Neutral Till Attacked**

Step by step we have seen this movement of German military power to the east and southeast of Europe. A remorseless accumulation of German armored and motorized divisions and of aircraft has been in progress in all these countries for months.

And at length we find that the Greeks and the Yugoslavs, nations and states which never wished to take part in the war, neither of which was capable of doing the slightest injury to Germany, must now fight to the death for their freedom and for the lands of their fathers.

Until Greece was suddenly and treacherously invaded at the behest of the base Italian



**RECIPROCITY CLUB'S LADIES' NIGHT**—A "speech-less dinner" and entertainment program featured the annual ladies' night celebration of the Reciprocity Club at the Mayflower Hotel. Among those attending were (left to right) Theodore S. Grape, chairman of the welfare committee; Grace Miller, Jay P. Conger, club president; Mrs. Conger, William J. Mileham, first vice president, and Mrs. Mileham. Plans for the club's annual boat ride for crippled children on May 15 were discussed in a brief business meeting following the dinner.

dictator, she had observed meticulously neutrality. It may be that the sentiments of her people were on our side but nothing could have been more correct than the behavior of her government.

We had no contracts or engagements of a military character with the Greek government. Although there were islands like Crete of the highest naval consequence to us, and although we had given Greece our guarantee against aggression, we abstained from the slightest intrusion upon her.

It was only when she appealed to us for aid against the Italians that we gave her support in the air and in supplies was possible.

All this time the Germans continued to give friendly assistance to Greece and to try with the idea of a new commercial treaty. German high officials, both in Athens and Berlin, expressed disapproval of the Italian invasion.

**"Traitorous Bulgarian King"**

From the beginning of December the movements of German forces through Hungary and through Rumania toward Bulgaria became apparent to all.

More than two months ago, by the traitorous connivance of the Bulgarian King and government, advance parties of the German air force in plain clothes gradually took possession of Bulgarian air fields.

Many thousands of German army, soldiers and political police were ensconced in key positions before the actual announcement of the accession of Bulgaria to the Axis.

German troops then began to pour into Bulgaria in very large numbers. One of their objectives was plainly Salonika, which I may mention they entered at 4 o'clock this morning.

It has never been our policy nor our interest to see the war carried into the Balkan peninsula.

**Balkan Entente Sought**

At the end of February we sent Foreign Secretary Eden and Gen. Sir John G. Dill to the peace of Belgrade, but they were refused permission by Prince Paul's government.

If these three threatened states had stood together they could have had at their disposal 60 or 70 divisions, which, with a combined plan and prompt action taken, might have confronted the Germans with a resistance which might well have deterred them altogether and must in any case have delayed them a long time, having regard to the mountainous and broken character of the country and limits of communications.

Although we were anxious to promote such a defensive front, by which alone the peace might have been maintained, we were determined not to ur, upon the Greeks, already at grips with the Italians, any course contrary to their desires.

The support which we can give to the peoples fighting for freedom in the Balkans and in Turkey, or ready to fight, is necessarily limited at present and we did not wish to take the responsibility of pressing the Greeks to engage in a conflict.

**Greeks Take the Glory Road**

With the new and terrible foe gathering upon their borders, however, on the first occasion Eden and Dill met the Greek King and the Greek prime minister, the latter declared spontaneously on behalf of his government that Greece was resolved at all costs to defend her freedom and native soil against any aggressor, and that even if left wholly unsupported by Great Britain or by Turkey and Yugoslavia, they would remain faithful to their alliance with Great Britain, which came into play at the opening of the Italian invasion, and would fight to the death against both Italy and Germany.

This being so, our duty was clear. We were bound in honor to give them all the aid in our power. If they were resolved to face the might and fury of the Huns, we had no doubts but that we should share their ordeal, and that the soldiers of the British Empire must stand in the line with them.

We were aided by our generals on the spot, Sir Archibald Wavell, and Greek Commander in Chief Alexander Papagos—both victorious commanders in chief—that a sound military plan, giving good prospects of success, could be made. Of course, in all these matters

there is hazard. In this case as anyone can see, without particularizing unduly, there was for us a double hazard.

It remains to be seen how well these opposing risks and duties have been judged. But of this I am sure, that there is no less likely way of winning a war than to adhere pedantically to the maxim of "Safety First."

Therefore, early in March we made a military agreement with the Greeks, and the considerable movement of British and Imperial troops and supplies began. I cannot enter into details, or while this widespread battle is going on, attempt to discuss either the situation or prospects.

**Paul 'Hugs a Delusion'**

I therefore turn to the story of Yugoslavia. This valiant steadfast people, whose history for centuries has been a struggle for life and who owe their survival to their mountains and to their fighting qualities made every endeavor to placate the Nazi monster.

If they had made common cause with the Greeks, when the Greeks hurried back the Italian invaders, the complete destruction of the Italian armies in Albania could have been certainly and swiftly achieved long before the German forces could have reached the theater of war.

Even in January or February this extraordinary military opportunity was still open.

But Prince Paul's government, undeterred by the fate of so many small countries, not only observed the strictest neutrality and refused even to enter into effective staff conversations with Greece or with Turkey or with us, but hugged the delusion that they could preserve their independence by some sort of pact with Hitler.

Once again we see the odious German poison technique employed. In this case, however, it was the government, rather than to the nation that the dose and inoculations were administered.

The process was not hurried. Why should it be? All the time the German armies and air force were entering and massing in Bulgaria. From a few handfuls of tourists admiring the beauties of the Bulgarian landscape in the wintry weather, the German forces grew to 7, 12, 20 and finally to 25 divisions. Presently the German army and air force, and afterward their ministers were summoned, like others before them, to Hitler's footstool, and a pact was signed which would have given Germany complete control not only over the body but over the soul of the Yugoslav nation.

Then at last the people of Yugoslavia saw their peril, and with a universal sigh of relief swept from power those who were leading them into a shameful tutelage and resolved at the eleventh hour to guard their freedom and their honor with their lives.

A brave constrictor who had already covered his prey with his foul saliva and then had it suddenly wrested from his coils, would hardly have a more comical mood compared with Hitler, Goering, Ribbentrop and the rest of the Nazi gang.

A frightful vengeance was vowed against the southern Slavs. Rapid, perhaps hurried, redispersions were made of German forces and German diplomacy.

**A Ferocious Howl of Hatred**

Hungary was offered large territorial gains to become the accomplice in the assault upon a friendly neighbor with whom she had just signed a solemn pact of friendship and nonaggression.

Count Teleki, Hungarian premier, preferred to take his own life rather than join in such a deed of shame.

A heavy forward movement of the German armies, already gathered in Austria, was set in motion through Hungary to the

northern frontier of Yugoslavia. A ferocious howl of hatred from the supreme miscreant was the signal for the actual invasion.

The open city of Belgrade was laid in ashes and a tremendous drive by the German armored forces in Bulgaria was launched westward into southern Serbia.

While it no longer being worth while to keep up the force of love for Greece, other powerful forces rolled forward into Greece where they were at once unflinchingly encountered and have already sustained more than one bloody repulse at the hands of the heroic Greek army.

The British and Imperial troops have not up to the present been engaged. Further than this, I cannot attempt to carry the tale. I therefore turn for a few moments to the larger aspects of the war.

I must first speak of France and of the French people to whom in their sorrows we are united not only by memories but by living ties.

I welcomed cordially the declaration of Marshal Petain that France would never act against her former allies or go to war with her former allies. Such a course might alienate from France for long years the sympathy and support of the American democracy. I am sure that the French nation would, with whatever means of expression are still open to them, repudiate such a shameful course.

We must, however, realize, that the government of Vichy is in a great measure dependent and in a great many matters, though happily not in all, in Hitler's hands. Acting daily through the armistice commission at Wiesbaden, 2,000,000 Frenchmen are in German hands. A great part of the food supply in France has been seized by Germany. Both prisoners and food are doled out in return for hostile propaganda or unfriendly action against Britain.

Or, again, the cost of the German occupation of France, for which a cruel and exorbitant toll is exacted, may be raised still further as a punishment for any manifestation of sympathy with us.

Admiral Darian tells us that the Germans have been generous in the treatment of France. All the information which we have both from occupied and unoccupied France makes me very doubtful whether the mass of the French people would endorse that strange and sinister tribute.

But I must make it clear that we must maintain our blockade against Germany and rights of

contraband control at sea which have never been disputed or denied to any belligerent and which a year ago France was exercising with us. Some time ago we were ready to open economic negotiations with the French to mitigate the hardships of their conditions, but any chance of fruitful negotiations was nipped in the bud by "the generous Germans" and imperative orders were given from Wiesbaden to Vichy to break off all contact with us.

We have allowed very considerable quantities of food to go into France out of a sincere desire to spare the French people every hardship in our power. When, however, it comes to thousands of tons of rubber and other vital war material which pass, as we know, directly to the German armies, we are bound even at the risk of collisions with French warships at sea to enforce our rights as recognized by international law.

**French Navy Warned**

There is another action into which Vichy might be led by the dictation of Germany, namely, sending powerful war vessels, which are unfinished or even damaged from the French African ports to ports in metropolitan France now under German control or which may be very short notice fall under their control.

Such movements of French war vessels from Africa to France would alter the balance of naval power and would thus prejudice the interests of the U. S. A. as well as our own. I trust that such incidents will be avoided, or if they are not avoided, the consequences which will follow from them will be understood and fairly judged by the French nation for whose cause we are contending no less than for our own.

I am glad to be able to report a continued and marked improvement in the relative strength of the R. A. F. compared with that of Germany. Also, I draw attention to the remarkable increase in its actual strength and in its bombing capacity, and also to the marked augmentation in the power and size of the bombs which we shall be using in even greater number.

The statistics which we are now accustomed to make upon German harbors and cities are increasing both in the number of aircraft employed and in the weight of the discharge with every month that passes.

In some cases we have already in our raids exceeded in severity anything which a single town has a single night experienced over here. At the same time, there is a sensible improvement in our means of dealing with German raids upon this island.

**All Turns on the Atlantic**

A very great measure of security has been given to this country in daylight and we are glad that the days are lengthening, but now the R. A. F. looks forward to the moonlight periods as opportunities for inflicting severe losses upon raiders as well as for striking hard at the enemy in his own territory. The fact that technical advisers welcome daylight, moonlight and starlight and that we do not rely for our protection on darkness, clouds and mist as would have been the case some time ago, is pregnant with hope and with meaning. But, of course, all these tendencies are only in their early stages.

But, after all, everything turns upon the Battle of the Atlantic which is proceeding with growing intensity on both sides. Our losses in ships and tonnage are very heavy and, vast as are the shipping resources we control, these losses could not continue indefinitely without seriously affecting our war efforts and our means of subsistence.

It is no answer to say that we have inflicted upon the Germans a far higher proportion of losses compared with the size of their merchant fleet, and

that our worldwide traffic is maintained. We have in fact sunk, captured or seen scuttled over 2,300,000 tons of German and Italian shipping. We have lost nearly 4,000,000 tons of British tonnage. Against that we have brought under the British flag over 3,000,000 tons of foreign or newly constructed tonnage, not counting considerable Allied tonnage under our control. Therefore, at the moment our enormous fleets sail the seas without any serious or obvious diminution so far as numbers of ships is concerned. But what is to happen in the future if losses continue at the present rate? Where are we to find another three or four million tons to fill the gaps which are being created and to carry us on through 1942?

We are building merchant ships upon a very considerable scale and to the utmost of our ability. We are also making a most strenuous effort to repair the large number of vessels damaged by the enemy, and the still larger number damaged by winter gales.

We are doing our utmost to accelerate the turn around of our ships, remembering that even 10 days saving on turnaround of our immense fleet is equal to a reinforcement of 5,000,000 tons of imports in a single year.

All the energy and contrivance of which we are capable have been and will be devoted to these purposes, and we are already conscious of substantial results.

But when all is said and done, the only way in which we can get through the year 1942 without a very sensible contraction of our war efforts is by another gigantic building of merchant ships in the United States similar to that prodigy of output accomplished by the Americans in 1918.

All this has been in train in the U. S. A. for many months past. There has now been a very large extension of the program and we have assurance that several millions of tons of American newly-built shipping will be available for the common struggle during the course of the next year.

Here, then, is the assurance upon which we may count for the staying power without which it will not be possible to save the world from the criminals who assail its future.

But the Battle of the Atlantic must be won not only in the factories and shipyards but upon the blue water. I am confident that we shall succeed in coping with the air attacks which are made upon the shipping in western and northwestern approaches.

I hope eventually the inhabitants of the sister isle (Eire) may realize that it is as much in their interests as it is in ours that their ports and airfields should be available for naval and air forces which must operate ever further into the Atlantic.

But while I am hopeful we shall gain mastery over the air attacks upon our shipping, the U-boats and the surface raiders range ever farther to the westward, ever nearer to the shores of the United States, and constitute a menace which must be overcome if the life of Britain is not to be endangered and if the purposes to which the Government and peoples of the United States have devoted themselves are not to be frustrated. We shall, of course, make every effort in our power.

The defeat of the U-boats and of surface raiders has been proved to be entirely a question of adequate escorts for our convoys.

It will indeed be disastrous if the great masses of weapons, munitions and instruments of war of all kinds made with the toil and skill of American hands at the cost of the United States and loans to us under the aid-to-Britain bill were to sink into the depths of the ocean and never reach the hard-pressed fighting line.

That would be lamentable to us and I cannot believe it would be found acceptable to the proud and resolute people of the U. S. A.

Indeed, I am authorized to say

that 10 United States revenue cutters, fast vessels of about 2,000 tons displacement with a fine armament and a wide range of endurance, have already been placed at our disposal by the American Government and will soon be in action.

These vessels, originally designed to enforce prohibition, will now serve an even higher purpose.

It is of course very hazardous to try to forecast in what direction or directions Hitler will employ his military machine in the present year. He may at any time attempt the invasion of this island. That is an ordeal from which we shall not shrink.

At the present moment he is driving fast through the Balkans and at any moment he may turn upon Turkey.

But there are many signs which point to an attempt to secure the granary of the Ukraine and the oilfields of the Caucasus as a German means of gaining the resources wherewith to wear down the English-speaking world.

All this is speculation, but I will say one thing more: Once we have gained the Battle of the Atlantic and are sure of the constant flow of American supplies which are being prepared for us, then, however far Hitler may go or whatever new millions and scores of millions he may lap in misery, we who are armed with the sword of retributive justice shall be on his track.

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